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McMillan Candidacy Given Solid Support At Mass Meeting

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DR. W. A. ANDERSON'S SPEECH FOR MACMILLAN BRINGS STRONG CLIMAX TO THE BIG NON-PARTISAN MEETING

BURNS AND WING ALSO DECLARE FOR MACMILLAN

All Parties Represented at Gathering that Proposes to Give La Crosse Business Administration

SHORT SPEECHES ARE APPLAUDED

Score of Citizens Declare They Are in Favor of a New Deal at the City Hall

The non-partisan mass-meeting at the Bijou theater last night launched the MacMillan mayoralty boom with punch and enthusiasm.

Probably its greatest impetus was given the movement by the unexpected appearance of Dr. Wendell A. Anderson as a champion of the MacMillan candidacy and of the principle of non-partisanship in city affairs of which he has been for years an earnest advocate.

Excepting for the address of Dr. Anderson there were no speeches—just short, plain talks by citizens who have had little to do with politics but who are now aroused to seek a more logical and efficient city government. The men who participated were about equally divided between those affiliated with the democratic and those of the republican party in national and state politics.

When the meeting opened the theater was about half filled, but within a few moments new arrivals made it a bumper meeting.

The first of the talks was made by E. M. Wing, who was quickly followed by John C. Burns. Both men struck out from the shoulder and made driving arguments for the non-partisan candidate.

Salzer Opens Meeting

John P. Salzer, chairman of the original MacMillan committee, called the meeting to order a few minuted after 8 o'clock. Mr. Salzer stated the purposes of the meeting, and terseiy expressed his own convictions. Organization was perfected by the unanimous election of the following officers:

William F. Hurtgen, chairman.
Gysbert Van Steenwyk, secretary.
R. J. Ray, secretary.

Chairman Hurtgen was received with applause and proceeded at once with the business of the meeting. He emphasized the non-partisan character of the gathering, and vigorously urged that steps be taken to conduct the business of the city "as economically and efficiently as we business men seek to conduct our own business." Mr. Hurtgen then called upon various men whom he recognized in the audience to express their views.

Wing and Burns Talk

Mr. Wing, who is an authority on city finances, presented an argument based upon loose and wasteful methods, and made the assertion that as now constituted the board of public works is responsible for a loss of approximately $40,000 to the taxpayers. It was noticed with interest later that Dr. Anderson, twice mayor of La Crosse, whose attempt to reorganize the board on a sound basis was defeated by the council, essentially corroborated this point. Mr. Wing also made the point which occurred in most of the speeches that Mr. MacMillan would succeed because he could give a full day's work to the office.

"As I was coming down here a man told me he thought there was too much capital represented in our meeting," said Mr. Burns. "I don't think so. There is capital here, and there is labor here. We can't have too much of either. Labor can't succeed without capital, and capital is worthless without labor. Capital furnishes the power, and labor must broaden and build with capital to employ more labor. Then skilled labor will come to La Crosse, and that will bring us capital, law and order and lower taxes. High taxes bar capital and people out of La Crosse. What we want in La Crosse is economic government and harmony. This will bring comfort to every home. I know Dan MacMillan will make us the right kind of a mayor, the kind we need to start us right. It is conceded we've been doing things wrong for twenty years. Now I don't want to go on doing them wrong for twenty years longer. I'm for Dan MacMillan."

Many Other Speakers

Mr. Burns was received with hearty applause. W. E. Barber, in his free and easy way, said a great deal in about ten words, and Bert Van Steenwyk paid a personal tribute to the business ability and personal character of Mr. MacMillan. "Sid" Law raised a storm of applause when he paid a tribute to the administrations of Dr. Anderson, and urged that under like favorable conditions Mr. MacMillan would achieve success as mayor. There were a number of other short addresses, among them short talks by two laboring men.

At this juncture personal subscriptions to fund the campaign were called for. While these were being listed someone discovered that Dr. Anderson was in the audience, and whispered the fact to Chairman Hurtgen, who asked the former mayor to address the assemblage. Then followed the climax of the meeting.

Dr. Anderson Cheered

As Dr. Anderson arose in his place, in about the center of the building, a storm of applause lasting several moments greeted his appearance. When it had partially subsided, Chairman Hurtgen asked the doctor to step forward so that he might face all of the audience. As Dr. Anderson walked down the aisle the applause broke out again, and he had to wait for a time before beginning his speech.

"With a five minute limit, it is a rather difficult matter to adjust ten or twelve years' observation of city matters," said Dr. Anderson.

"Take off the lid!" shouted someone. The cry was repeated from various parts of the theater.

"The time limit is off," announced Chairman Hurtgen.

"I am reminded of the remark of a fellow medical student in New York many years ago," said Dr. Anderson. "He had been missing from the lecture room for a few weeks just prior to final examinations. He had been intent on having a good time during all the years he had been there, and when asked where he had been for the past weeks, he said, 'Anderson, I am getting ready for examination, and it's mighty hard work to crowd three years' study into two weeks.'

Speaks for MacMillan

"I am here tonight as one interested in this non-partisan movement in municipal affairs, which is not a new thing to me, and also to add what little impetus I may to the idea of having more time devoted by the chief executive to city matters. With some experience as to this feature, I am able to speak intelligently, for I do know that with one's best efforts there is all too little time to carry on what falls to the lot of a mayor. I have frequently told the story to illustrate my own feelings when in the city hall, of the livery horse which was named 'Telescope.' He was an average horse. A patron asked the liveryman why he called the horse 'Telescope,' and the liveryman said, 'Named because he could see so much farther than it was possible for him to go.'"

Dr. Anderson said that in the few moments given him he could express his views as to non-partisan administration no better than by repeating in substance what he had said ten years ago upon the same subject. He referred to an address at one of the halls in the south part of town where he was filling in for Mayor Boschert one evening.

"At that time I referred to the fact that back in the seventies after having participated in several municipal elections, I said to a gentleman who is still living here, that I did not like the mixture of ward and city politics in municipal affairs, and that if I was to have anything to do with politics it must be in some other field.

"From that time to the spring of 1899 I knew but little of how city matters were run, when by a combination of circumstances I was elected mayor. Then it was incumbent on me to put in practice preconceived ideas about the conduct of city affairs. Referring to that effort at the Boschert meeting, I said:

Public Didn't Get It

"'This I endeavored to accomplish, with such ability as I possessed, and the two years of success and failure was finished in 1901, and whatever success or whatever failure may be attributed to that administration by others, to my mind the great and overshadowing failure, so far reaching in its results, was inability to inspire sufficient confidence in the minds of business and professional men in this city as to impress them with the advisability and advantage of eliminating politics from our municipal administration.'"

Dr. Anderson said that although this was ten years ago, with all our talk of "doing" for La Crosse, nothing has been done along this line until now, after the state has stepped in and issued its mandate in the form of a law, forcing non-partisan action locally.

Abolish the Board

"And all this time," said Dr. Anderson, "our good business men have assembled from time to time, expanded their chests and talked of what we are doing and should do for our city. So much for energy in securing this result."

Dr. Anderson then took up that universal bone of contention, the board of public works, which he said we "all" desire to have changed "so far as talk goes," and called attention to his comment on the subject twelve years ago, and to an incident several years later. The remarks referred to by the speaker were made at a meeting in Germania hall, and were inspired by partisan criticism, and as Dr. Anderson put it, "after two years of intimate association my words are carefully weighed." Following is what Dr. Anderson said in the Germania meeting to which he referred:

"After two years intimate association and observation, I wish to say, and my words are carefully weighed, that if all the mistakes of all the administrations for the past ten years were all put together, they would seem small and insignificant beside the stupendous, colossal wrong foisted upon this city by politicians here and in Madison when they changed the charter provisions for appointment of commissioners of public works with a man of brains at the head, to three low salaried men to be elected by the people."

"You have in that body (I refer to the system, not the men) continuing evidence of political methods which are costing, have cost and bid fair to cost this city unknown thousands of dollars every year."

Dr. Anderson said that in his opinion $10,000 to $15,000 a year was a far too modest estimate.

Business Men Apathetic

Dr. Anderson then frankly criticised business men of La Crosse for their failure to give active support to his effort, four years ago, to do away with the board of public works as now constituted. At that time there was introduced in the council an ordinance which would have provided very flexible means for the changing of the board and its adjustment to the needs of the city.

"How many of you remember what was attempted four years ago?" asked Dr. Anderson. "How many of you interviewed your aldermen and tried to carry forward the effort to change this system? After some weeks, in the winter of 1908-09, consultation on the part of the city attorney, Mr. McConnell, Colonel Woodward and the mayor, in February, Alderman Keller introduced for its first and second reading, an ordinance to adopt section 925-78 of the Wisconsin statutes of 1878, which provided that three city officers named therein, should constitute the board, and also providing as follows:

"'Provided that the council by a two-thirds vote may determine that the board of public works shall consist of other public officers or persons, and provide for the election or appointment thereof, or it may dispense with such board, in which case its duties and powers shall be exercised by the council or a committee thereof, or by such officers or boards as the council shall determine.'

"This seems quite broad, and to give the council ample powers, but when it came to a vote, what was the result?

"Before the vote was taken, the aldermen were told that heretofore the citizens, as a whole, had been responsible for the past conditions, but after the vote on that ordinance was taken, the council alone would bear the responsibility.

"The ordinance was voted down; the aldermen were apparently afraid to trust themselves.

"This statement should be qualified, however, for there were aldermen who did favor the ordinance, and it is only right that they should be named. They were Bartl, Day, Emery, Goddard, Keller, Marvin and Rehfuss."

In Memory of Marvin

At this juncture mention of Alderman Marvin, who lay dead at his home, resulted in a touching incident. Dr. Anderson turned to Chairman Hurtgen and in a lowered voice asked the indulgence of the chair. He then paid a tribute to the alderman "with whose views many disagreed, but whose consistency and sincerity are deserving of admiration."

In that audience there may have been friends of George Marvin, other men who took him not seriously but as a harmless "crank," and still others bitterly opposed to his ideas, but when Dr. Anderson asked that as a mark of respect his hearers rise for a moment every person in the big theater responded.

Dr. Anderson's suggestion that he had consumed considerable time was interrupted with requests to "go on." However, the former mayor observed that he had "said enough."

"I might say things that would make you gasp for breath and sit uneasily in your seats and sigh with relief when I had finished," said the doctor. He declined to continue and retired amidst prolonged applause.

MacMillan Introduced

Chairman Hurtgen then introduced Mr. D. G. MacMillan, the non-partisan candidate, who in a modest and straightforward speech acknowledged his appreciation of the confidence shown in him and promised that if he should be elected mayor he would give the city of La Crosse the best he had of heart and hand and brain.

The Committees

Adjournment followed the appointment of the following committees:

General committee — Chairman, W. F. Hurtgen; secretary, Gysbert Van Steenwyk; Treasurer, R. J. Ray.

Campaign committee— John C. Burns, John P. Salzer, H. J. Hirshheimer, E. M. Wing, Leigh Toland, William J. McGaughren.

Finance committee—C. S. Van Auken, F. L. Pierce, D. S. Law.

Press committee—Charles J. Marboe, Homer C. Hart, L. H. Martin.

BUSINESS IS THE SLOGAN OF ADAMS

Candidate for Mayor Issues Platform Upon Which He Will Make Run for Highest Office

IS A COMPREHENSIVE DOCUMENT

Planks Deal Concisely with All the More Important Problems of City Government

W. F. Adams, mayoralty candidate, today announced the platform upon which he stands for nomination and election. The platform is brief, but deals with all the more important city problems. In full it is as follows:

To the Voters of the City of La Crosse:

At the solicitation of many citizens of La Crosse, from all sections of the city, I have consented to become a candidate for the nomination of mayor, at the coming primary election. In conformity with custom, and to the end that our citizens may be advised as to what attitude I will assume in the conduct of public affairs, should I be nominated and ultimately elected, I desire to make a brief declaration of principles.



W. F. ADAMS

It is my conviction that a municipal corporation in its operation is essentially the same as a private corporation, and in order that the best governmental results may be obtained, it is necessary to apply purely business methods in the administration of public affairs. In other words, eliminate politics and all other ulterior considerations in the conduct of city affairs, and as mayor apply the same rules of conduct that are applied by the head of a large business institution.

That there has been needless waste and extravagance in the management of our city affairs, is not open to debate. The fact that La Crosse is bonded practically up to the constitutional limit despite the fact that our annual tax levy is practically up to the amount allowed by law, demonstrates this. If elected, I will attempt to control and regulate the expenditure of public money and effectuate economy, without impairing the public service.

I am a thorough believer in education and it will be my aim to see that our schools will be so equipped that they may attain the highest standards.

In my judgment one of the gravest problems that now confronts the city of La Crosse is a moral question. Every well informed citizen knows that vice prevails to an alarming and preventable degree. If elected I pledge myself to accomplish a reform in this regard.

I believe that our city government should lend aid and encouragement to our civic bodies in their endeavor to aid in the location of new enterprises in our midst as well as in the expansion of those already here. This can and will be done by creating desirable municipal conditions and an exhibition of good will toward capital seeking investment and labor seeking employment.

In the foregoing statement I have briefly indicated some of the things that should be done. Upon this and my career as a business man in the city of La Crosse, I submit my candidacy for approval, to our citizens.

Respectfully,

W. F. ADAMS.

HONOR FRIEDMANN

OTTWA, Ont., March 12.—Dr. F. F. Friedmann, discovered of the turtle bacilli, which he believes will cure tuberculosis, was the guest of honor at today's session of the Canadian Tuberculosis association, now in session.

AUSTRIA DEMOBILIZES

VIENNA, March 12.—The promised demobilization by Austro-Hungary actually begun today with the issue of an order by the war office, sending home all the military reservists on the Russian frontier.

APPEAL HINGES ON TIME LIMIT

Committees Order City Attorney to Ascertain Rights in Viaduct Matter

MAY GO TO THE SUPREME COURT

City's Share of Expense of Rose Street Bridge Likely to Be $50,000

Taking the attitude that the city's share of the expense of rebuilding the Rose street viaduct ordered by the state railroad commission is out of proportion to the benefits derived, the common council committees on special streets improvements, railroads and finance last night ordered City Attorney Schubert to ascertain the necessary legal steps to appeal to the supreme court. The question hinges on whether the reopening of the viaduct question to consider ordering the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad company to install elevated tracqs did not constitute an annulment of the original order. In the event this is found to be the fact the city is within the ninety day limit to appeal from the second order. If it is found that th etime for appeal has not expired it is very likely that the committees will recommend an appeal to the circuit court of Dane county as the preliminary steps in getting the question before the supreme court.

Total Cost $50,000

According to the plans prepared by the Milwaukee railroad company and submitted to the railroad commission the city's share of the expense of building the viaduct will be about $16,000 not including the damage claims of property owners abutting on the approaches to the new bridge. According to the terms of the commission order, however, the city is compelled to build viaduct and approaches such as to work no hardship on the street railway company and will attract travel from the Mill street crossing. The plans submitted by the Milwaukee Railroad company contemplates a six per cent grade on the approacnes and it was argued at the meeting last night that the street car company would be compelled to change the equipment on their cars to carry heavy loads up such a steep grade, and that such a grade would be nearly prohibitive to driving. It appeared to be the sentiment of the committeemen that a four per cent grade is the steepest grade possible. City Engineer Geo. Bradish declared that a four percent grade would cost about $30,000. Damage claims would probably raise this to $50,000.

Motion to Appeal

Alderman William Tarbox made the motion that the city attorney be instructed to appeal the case to the supreme court. The motion after being seconded by Alderman Bert Smith, was tabled to allow the city attorney to ascertain the city's right to appeal. City Attorney Schubert will report his findings in the matter at another meeting Thursday night.

The committee on finance decided on a favorable report on the petition of the business men on Third street between Main and Pearl streets for the installation of the White Way lighting system.

The committee on finance voted to support George Falk, member of the board of public works, in his controversy with Thomas Woolley over a bill presented by Mr. Woolley for supplying crushed rock on the Mormon Coulee paving contract. The committee voted to disallow the bill.

MOTHER ALLEGED MURDERESS

WINNIPEG, Man., March 12.—Developments sudden and startling were disclosed this morning when it was learned that the Winnipeg police had arrested Mrs. Evan Willis, aged 24, of International Falls, Minn., and Victor Pople, aged 23, of Rainy River, Ont., in connection with the death of the five months old daughter of Mrs. Willis whose little bruised and frozen body was found deserted in a boat on Red river last night.

Both man and woman are now locked up charged with murder.

Mrs. Willis deserted her husband several months ago. He is now living in Illinois.

KOHLER TO BRING ALIBI

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 12.—The prosecution in the trial of Chief of Police Frederick Kohler up before the civil service commission on charges of gross immorality, expects to complete its case today. The hearing was resumed at one o'clock this afternoon. Kohler's defense will be an alibi.

DIVORCE CAUSE OF VICE

CHICAGO, March 12.—"Seventy per cent of the women in Chicago's vice district are divorcees," said Judge Marcus Kavanaugh, chairman of the Illinois commission on divorce and marriage laws today. "The attorney who practices collusion in a divorce proceeding often is contributing to the social evil."

PASTORS MOURN MARVIN'S DEATH

United in Sorrow for the Untimely End of Militant Reform Alderman

PAY TRIBUTE TO HIS MEMORY

Funeral at Tabernacle Baptist Church Friday; Rev. Leonard to Preach Sermon

Declaring their sincere sorrow over the death of Alderman George B. Marvin, Jr., clergy of La Crosse today vied with each other in glowing tributes to his memory. His fearless tenacity of purpose and consistent civic righteousness are the traits upon which the pastors voiced their praises. In almost every instance they have taken the occasion to make a plea for more men of the stamp of Mr. Marvin.



GEORGE B. MARVIN, JR.

The funeral promises to be one of the most impressive ceremonies of its kind for years.

The funeral cortege will leave the home, 1433 Berlin street, at 1:30 p. m. Friday. The funeral ceremony will take place in the Tabernacle Baptist church, Clinton and Avon streets, Rev. H. B. Leonard preaching the sermon. Mr. Marvin was one of the founders of this church and, in the capacity of deacon, one of its most earnest workers for several years. He also held several other offices in the church organization.

Following are statements prepared by some of the local ministers, carrying their impressions of the life of George B. Marvin:

Militant Citizen

"In the passing of George B. Marvin, Jr., the city of La Crosse justly mourns one of its militant citizens. He was fearless in his attitude for civic righteousness and defeat meant only another invitation to try again. The shame is that he so often had to stand alone while fighting for the protection of our boys and girls. I believe his influence will long be felt among us and even his opponents will say that he was more often right than wrong. The poor and unfortunate always found in him a good friend. His memory will be cherished by us all.

"W. ADELBERT BILLINGS."

Sincere Man

"It is a melancholy pleasure to write a tribute of respect and affection to one who but a short time since was active amongst us as fellow worker in the promotion of the city's welfare.

"The Hon. G. B. Marvin as seen and known by me was an unassuming, unpretentious, sincere man. While occupying a dignified and responsible position in the city council he was always pleasant, approachable, affable and friendly and however busy was glad to give time and thought to any request or suggestion that one might want to make to him on public matters. As far as he was concerned we all had the ear of the city council. He was the reformer on the aldermanic board; and whether or not successful in carrying his measures, retained his optimism and cheerfulness, and stood true to the purpose of his official life to promote the welfare of the city morally and religiously. Not strictly a prohibitionist yet he allied himself to the cause by favoring all temperance work. 'He being dead yet speaketh.'

"G. B. CAPLE."

Loyal to the Cause

"I have been acquainted with Mr. George B. Marvin for two and one-half years. He was one of the board of directors of the City Mission until November first and I have always found him to be loyal to the cause of right and a foe to sin and unrighteousness. He will be missed by all who knew him and I think that if we had a few more men of his stamp with a little backbone our city would

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URGES CORRECTION OF CHILD DEFECTS

Dr. Elizabeth W. Allison Says Early War on Troubles Prevents Lasting Evils

ARGUES FOR COMPULSORY HEALTH

Declares It Is as Necessary and Logical as Compulsory Education

"The reason we make such slow progress in prevention of disease and defective development is that prevention lacks the dramatic interest of cures after the damage has been wrought," said Dr. Elizabeth W. Allison, state normal school physician, in a plea for early correction of defects in childhood at the Child Welfare Exhibit last night. Dr. Allison declared that compulsory health was just as logical and necessary as compulsory education, and urged mothers whose children show signs of mental slowness to have their offspring's eyes, ears, nose and throat examined.

Sight Most Valuable

Sight, she maintained, is the most valuable of the senses, and therefore the one most carefully to be guarded. She said that defective vision was often the cause of mental dullness, nervousness and sometimes actual physical deformity. If taken in time, she said, eye defects can generally be rectified by glasses. As an example she quoted cross-eyes, which she said are usually easily cured by glasses in children of three or four years, but yield only to surgery after 15 or 16. Dr. Allison described carefully all the symptoms of eye, ear, nose and throat troubles.

Next to defective vision, she said, throat and nasal troubles are the worst. She declared that adenoids and enlarged tonsils result often in defective hearing, and almost invariably in mental dullness. She urged that adenoids be removed early from children's nasal passages, in order not to stunt their development. Mouth breathing, she said, was a prevalent sign of adenoids. Their cause, she maintained, is often the "pacifier" given to a child to keep it quiet, or thumb-sucking.

Catarrh was another trouble which Dr. Allison insisted should not be neglected. In some forms it is harmless, but in others it is dangerous and contagious.

Diseases Cause Defects

Measles, scarlet fever and diphtheria, Dr. Allison said, are prolific causes of defects to the organs of sense. Measles often mean eye strain, scarlet fever leaves pus in the middle ear which sometimes ruptures the organ, and diphtheria brings on tonsilitis and other throat troubles.

The exhibit was well attended last night. In the afternoon Miss Alice Pattee, school nurse, gave a general talk to mothers on the care of children of school age, and A. C. Gran, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., discussed the moral welfare of children.

The Catholic Benevolent society is in charge of the Welfare Exhibit today. The afternoon Miss Marie Peterson, visiting nurse, will give a demonstration to mothers, and Dr. Theodore Werle, of Milwaukee, will discuss the prevention and cure of tuberculosis. This evening the chief speaker will be Dr. Edward Evans, who will give a talk on "Infectious Diseases."

DEADLOCK CONTINUES.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 12.—The deadlock in the Illinois senatorship was unbroken by today's ballot.

WEATHER

Temperature for La Crosse during past 24 hours:
High, 44.
Low, 36.
Precipitation, 0.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Probably local rain or snow tonight or Thursday; no decided change in temperature.

Wisconsin: Fair tonight; Thursday cloudy.

Minnesota: Generally cloudy with local rain or snow tonight or Thursday; colder Thursday.

Iowa: Unsettled with rain tonight or Thursday.

Weather Conditions

The weather is fair in the Atlantic states with moderately high pressure and cloudy and unsettled from the Rocky mountain districts to the Mississippi valley. Local rain or snow has occurred from the plains states to the Pacific coast and in the Lake Superior district but the weather is fair this morning at nearly all stations. The temperature changes during the past 24 hours have been small as a rule.

The weather will continue unsettled in this section tonight and Thursday with probably local rain or snow. The temperature change will be small.

EASTER NEWS

Annual Spring OPENING

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 13-14-15th

We extend a most cordial invitation to the trade to examine our Beautiful Exhibit of SPRING and SUMMER HIGH CLASS MILLINERY.

ABSOLUTELY FREE

During this opening we will give away free of charge a corsage bouquet of Violets with every purchase of one dollar or over.

Lennon's

410 MAIN STREET

$610,435.43 IS UTILITIES TAX

Total Valuation Is Assessed at About Four Million Increase Over 1912

MADISON, Wis., March 12.—Wisconsin street railway companies are called upon to pay a tax of $610,435.43, according to the final assessment made by the state tax commission.

The total valuation is fixed at $51,590,000 as compared with $47,365,000 a year ago, and the total tax is an increase over 1912 of $85,307.22; the rate for the present assessment is .01183243701, slightly less than a year ago.

This total tax revenue, $610,435.43, is divided between the state and the municipalities in which the utilities operate at the ratio of 15 to 85, the amount going to the state being $91,565.32, while the towns, villages and cities get $518,870.11.

Following is the share assessed two La Crosse utilities:

LaC. & Ona. St. Ry. Co.	$ 20,000	$ 236.65
LaC.City Ry.Co.	540,000	6,389.52

EVENSON SPEAKS FOR OPTICAL LAW

MADISON, Wis., March 12—(Special.)—With a plea that the practice of optometry in Wisconsin be placed on a standardized basis, where the honest practitioner may be protected and the fake "eye doctors" driven out, a delegation of leading optometrists of the state appeared before the assembly committee on public welfare yesterday afternoon. The arguments were on the Nordman bill for a board of examiners who shall give examination and issue licenses for those qualified to act as opticians.

The bill was supported by Charles D. Waugh of Milwaukee, secretary of the Wisconsin Association of Optometrists; Peter Scholler of Hancock, Mich., the first president of the Michigan state board of examiners of optometry; J. H. Scholler, of Janesville; A. A. Lueck, Antigo; H. McEwen, Fond du Lac; J. H. Schafer, Milwaukee, and H. C. Evenson, La Crosse. Dr. W. T. Sarles of Sparta spoke briefly in opposition.

Mr. Evenson called attention to the action of medical bodies in introducing courses in optometry in their colleges, and referred to the awarding last year for the first time in this country of the degree of doctor of opthalmology by the University of Colorado. Writings of prominent optically qualified medical eye specialists were quoted to the effect, it was stated, that diagnosis of errors of refraction and glasses-treatment has been made a farce through the custom of all students to do their work in a different way and through inexact methods followed in the practice of opthalmology.

BRINDLEY RESIGNS ROOSEVELT PLACE

General Manager of Local Plumbing Supply Company to Operate Ranch in Oregon

Mr. Thaddeus Brindley, for several years general manager of the W. A. Roosevelt company, has resigned his position with that firm to operate a large fruit ranch in western Oregon. The ranch is located near Eugene and in the heart of the richest fruit belt in the state. Mr. Brindley left for Eugene the latter part of last week to make arrangements for the building of a house on the farm. Mrs. Brindley will join her husband as soon as the new home is completed. Mr. Brindley is the son of Judge John Brindley and enjoys a large acquaintance in the business and social circles not only in this city but in the state. Mr. Brindley's departure is a matter of no small regret to his many friends in La Crosse. F. F. Flock of Sparta, has been employed by the Roosevelt company to fill the vacancy made by Mr. Brindley's recignation.

GUY JOLIVETTE IN DECLAMATORY

MADISON, Wis., March 12—(Special.)—Ten freshmen at the University of Wisconsin will compete tonight in the annual "freshmen deo," the most important freshman declamatory contest of the year. Those who are eligible to enter the contest are: Guy A. Jolivette, La Crosse; Le-Roy I. Segall, Milwaukee; Reuben R. Pfeiffer, Plymouth; Manerd C. Mommsen, Milwaukee; Leon F. Hook of Indianapolis, Ind.; Joseph W. Burke, Centuria; Crawford Wheeler, Eau Claire; George H. Wahle, of Marshfield, and A. W. Howson, Chicago, Ill.

Last Spring My Health



Was completely broken down through prolonged watching at a sick bed. My appetite was gone. I was so nervous that I could not sleep. I became pale, thin, languid, tired, looked ten years older. Through physical weakness my mental condition was affected. Hood's Sarsaparilla restored me to perfect health. It aided the worn-out nerves of my stomach to do their duty. I could soon eat and sleep peacefully and felt new life course through my veins. Within six weeks I was my former self, and for a year have enjoyed the best health." Julia C. Tison, Atlantic City, N. J.

For your Spring Medicine, blood purifier and strength builder, take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold everywhere. Get a bottle today.

FIGHT REGULATION

MADISON, Wis., March 12.—(Special.)—The bill for a board of drugless practitioners for the regulation of the chiropractic profession was cause for a spirited discussion before the committee on public welfare of the assembly yesterday afternoon. The chiropractor operators strongly backed the bill, and it was opposed by the osteopathists, who maintained the osteopathist profession is now under sufficient regulatory supervision. The medical profession, through Dr. A. S. Loevenhart of the University of Wisconsin also opposed the plan.

REPORT MANY BILLS

MADISON, Wis., March 12.—(Special.)—Nearly a score of bills were reported back to the assembly this morning from the committee on judiciary.

Many novels are so long they cause the suspicion that their authors are space writers.

We live to learn, and only then do we learn to live.

CONFESSES TO ARSON

JANESVILLE, Wis., March 12.—Percy Merrill confessed to State Fire Marshal Purtell on Tuesday that he set fires about the city since November, entailing a loss of several thousand dollars. He will be examined as to his sanity.

No man can be popular and tell his troubles, too.

FOR RHEUMATISM

Sixty - Eighty - Eight

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ROCKLAND, WIS.

E. B. Homstad who has been spending a few days with relatives at Rockland left for his home near Westby, Tuesday.

Dave Jones, a Northwestern railway mail clerk, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones.

A farewell party was given last Friday evening in honor of A. N. Berg who leaves here the 15th for Montana.

Mrs. N. C. Berg and Mettie Homstad were Sparta callers last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. Nimmo made her first call in the village last Saturday after an illness of several days.

J. R. Jones made a business trip to Sparta Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Martin Solberg of Fish Creek, died at his home last Saturday noon at the age of 65 years. Heart trouble was the cause of death.

John Wolfe and Louis Evans spent Saturday evening and Sunday at La Crosse.

John Nelson and family and his brother, Charles Nelson and family, of Fish Creek, spent Sunday with their mother and sister at Rockland.

Ed Finck who has been sick for a few days is now able to be about again.

Talk Dollars.

The economical housewife was endeavoring to dispose of a much worn dress.

"Hannah," she said to the negress, "I will take $4 for the dress."

"Ain't you got nothin' not so suspensive?" asked the darkey.

"No. But I'll take off a dollar. You can save that," said the lady.

"Land sakes, missie!" exclaimed Hannah. "That don't save me nothin'. That's jes' a talk dollar."—National Monthly.

Daddy's Bedtime Story— The Hungry Hawk and The Weasel



The Hawk Caught the Weasel.

DADDY called Jack and Evelyn to his chair.

"Do you see this odd looking animal?" he asked. He pointed to a picture of a little creature with a long, narrow body and a small head.

"That's a weasel," daddy explained. "I heard you singing the old song about the cobbler that chased the weasel all around his bench, and I thought you might like to see a picture of a real weasel."

"Yes," the children replied. "We would. Do weasels make nice pets?"

"I have heard of pet weasels," daddy answered. "But for my part I should not care to have one. They are too cross and cruel.

"This morning I noticed one sneaking along near the woods as I hurried to catch my train.

"Mr. Jay and Mrs. Jay Bird were watching him home. I suppose they wanted to find out where he has his hole so that when they go housekeeping they may build their nest far enough away from it.

"For weasels and birds are deadly enemies. The weasel not only kills the baby birds in the nest, but he eats the eggs before they are hatched. When the parent birds come home and find the eggs in the nest with a small hole in the top of each one they know exactly what has happened—the weasel has been there sucking the eggs. Because the weasel is so fond of eggs and their young ones the birds keep as far away from the weasels as they can. They are wise little things, are the birds.

"There is one bird, though, that is often a match for the weasel, and that is the large hawk. One day as a weasel was slipping out of his hole in a field a hawk, which was hovering overhead, happened to spy him.

"The hawk was hungry. He was staying just there hoping that he might be able to pick up a rabbit, and so he was pleased when he saw the weasel. He had never tried to catch a weasel, but he thought he was strong enough to handle any animal of that size.

"This was a mistake, for when Mr. Hawk pounced down on the weasel and stuck his sharp claws into its back, the latter began to fight as hard as he could. And a weasel is something of a fighter when he wishes to be. He twisted and turned until he could use his sharp teeth on the underside of the hawk's body. Then he bit as hard as he could.

"When he felt that fierce bite the hawk screeched and let go the weasel. It was something of a drop for the little animal, but when he reached the ground he was all right and ran away as fast as he could, while the hawk flew shrieking off to look for dinner somewhere else."

WHO'LL BE IN MRS. WILSON'S SOCIAL CABINET? PROBLEM INTERESTS CAPITAL



Mrs. O'Gorman (left top); Mrs. Mack (left bottom); Mrs. Clark.

Even as President Wilson has had to pick his executive cabinet, so his wife must pick her "social cabinet." Considerations in the choice will not only be her own personal preferences, but the change in administration from Republican to Democratic and the simplicity which President Wilson has set as an ideal. Among those most prominently mentioned for this "social cabinet" are Mrs. Norman E. Mack, who presided at the the Dolly Madison breakfast last spring; Mrs. Senator O'Gorman of New York; and Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the speaker of the house of representatives.

"What's the matter with Mixon? He seems so sad."

"Family troubles."

"Why, just before he was spliced he told me his wife-to-be was the whole works."

"Yes, I know, but he's discovered that it takes a lot of winding to keep a woman like that going."—Woman's World.

North, South, East, West

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SUFFRAGISTS TALK IN LEGISLATURE

MADISON, Wis. ,March 12.—The hearing on the woman's suffrage bill before the senate committee yesterday will be followed by a general hearing tonight in the assembly chamber. Yesterday's hearing indicated the determination of the women to have this question re-submitted to the people. Both the Glenn bill in the senate and the Axel Johnson bill in the house provide for submission of the subject in 1914. Those appearing in favor of suffrage were Miss Ada James of Richland Center, president of the Wisconsin Suffrage league; Mrs. W. G. Bleyer and Miss Margaret Schaffner of Madison. Robert Wild of Milwaukee, representing the German-American alliance, was the only speaker to oppose the measure.

Sufficient Unto Herself.

This is from a reader who knows the little girl.

The little girl's mother was downstairs frying doughnuts, and the little girl, aged five, was playing near. The grandmother, who was upstairs, called down, "Do you need any help?"

The mother, busy with the fork in hand over the sizzling receptacle, fearing the grandmother could not hear her reply, said to the little girl, "Go to the stairs and say, 'I'm sufficient unto myself.'"

So the little girl ran to the stairs and called up, "Gran'ma, mother says she's fishin' 'em out herself!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Cup Plates.

"These cup plates assure us that this 100-year-old china service is the real thing," said an antiquary. "They stopped making cup plates 100 years ago. Cup plates," he went on, "show how table manners change. Now, do you know what they were for? They were to hold your dripping cup of tea—after you had poured a part of it into the saucer to drink from—so that the cloth should not be stained. Yes; in the past everybody drank hot tea from the saucer. Kings and queens, emperors and generals, all, with a gurgling sound, tilted the full saucer with careful balance to the lips. The cup meanwhile reposed on the cup plate."—Exchange.

He Knew His Sister.

Since the engagement of his pretty sister her small brother had been puzzling his head to understand what it meant.

"Why," exclaimed his mother, "Mr. Skaggs has asked sister to marry him. That means that he'll take care of her."

"Buy her things?" asked the boy.

"Yes."

"Hats and dinners and ice cream and everything?" he persisted.

"Yes," was the answer.

The boy thought it all over for a moment, and then he said:

"Well, that man's got lots of courage, hasn't he?"—Ladies' Home Journal.

Many a man is so skeptical that he won't believe his own conscience.

BRING BLAZE TO FIREMEN TO FIGHT

JANESVILLE, Wis., March 12.—Bringing the fire to the fire department is the latest way of fighting conflagrations in Janesville. A carload of perishable freight in the South Janesville yards caught fire from an overturned stove and instead of calling the department out for a long, hard run, a switch engine was attached to the car and it was hauled to the fire station, two miles away, where it was extinguished. The loss was small.

DAKOTA, MINN.

William Harrington made a trip to Winona on Saturday.

Mr. Charles Zisch of Dresbach was ak business caller in town on Saturday.

Mr. Del Baker of Dresbach, was a caller in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Beach made a trip to La Crosse on Tuesday.

George Purdy and Mr. Brown both of Winona were business callers here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Helsaple who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Walter Turnbull of Galesville, returned home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Rader of Dresbach and her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Widmoyer of La Crescent, called on relatives here on Friday.

Miss Caroline Shippe is sick.

Rev. Herman of La Crescent is holding a series of revival meetings at the M. E. church. Rev. Gould of South Troy is assisting him in the work. In spite of bad weather the meetings have been well attended.

Miss Olive Berry is entertaining her friends, Miss Bina Bendt of Winona.

Julius Caesar.

The almost unanimous verdict of ancient and modern times is to the effect that Julius Caesar was what Shakespeare calls him, "The foremost man of all this world." Never before or since has any one exhibited in so high a degree all the qualities of a born ruler of men. And never had any man a grander role to play. To preside over the most important crisis in the history of the most important branch of the human race was a task that none but the greatest of men could successfully perform. Caesar swept one obstacle after another aside and stood at last where he meant to stand.—New York American.

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2—Thur	7,511	18—Sat	7,532
3—Fri	7,511	19—Sunday.	
4—Sat	7,514	20—Mon	7,537
5—Sunday.		21—Tues	7,537
6—Mon	7,518	22—Wed	7,542
7—Tues	7,521	23—Thur	7,542
8—Wed	7,517	24—Fri	7,539
9—Thur	7,517	25—Sat	7,539
10—Fri	7,519	26—Sunday.	
11—Sat	7,519	27—Mon	7,538
12—Sunday.		28—Tues	7,532
13—Mon	7,524	29—Wed	7,540
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I, Frank H. Burgess, business manager of the La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of January, 1913, was as above stated.

Frank H. Burgess

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of February, 1913.
A. E. BLEEKMAN,
Notary Public.

MUST RECOGNIZE EVIL IN ORDER TO DO GOOD

The prospect that in the near future congress will enact a law by which it is proposed to revise our monetary system along modern lines is not the less pleasant because of the fact that in drafting this law the framers will move upon presumption that the Pujo committee has established the existence of a money trust. The Wilson administration could do much to improve our financial machinery along mechanical lines, but no law that does not take cognizance of the fact that a few men now control credits and hope to do so in the future can give any permanent or substantial relief.

WE SHOULD HAVE A NATIONAL BUDGET

President Taft could hardly have selected a more important topic for his closing message to congress than the adoption of a budget system for the national government. The budget has been endorsed overwhelmingly by the referendum vote of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, a body representative of the business sentiment of the nation, and it has been recommended by efficiency experts, individual business men, accounting experts and others who know of the lack of business methods which obtain in the system of government affairs.

It is almost incomprehensible but the United States government not only has never had a budget, but it has never had a balance sheet; it has never had any means for reviewing its contracting and purchasing relations; it has never had the information necessary for considering questions of economy and efficiency or service rendered. It is hard to imagine that a private corporation with even half of the undertakings of the United States government could long operate successfully if it was bound up in a mass of red tape that makes efficient management almost impossible.

The budget proposals of ex-President Taft are based on common experience and common sense. They are supported by the best judgment and the best experience which has been gained in organization and management of corporate bodies, both public and private. A budget would improve discipline by making the heads of bureaus and offices feel a more direct responsibility; it would establish greater solidarity and unanimity of official actions; it would give to executive officers a greater sense of responsibility in the making of plans for future work as well as for the consideration of past work.

A budget system is needed to effect economy and increase efficiency. Too bad the ex-president did not realize this sooner.

MACMILLAN MASS-MEETING AN IMPRESSIVE SUCCESS

The mass-meeting at the Bijou theater last night gave a great impetus to the non-partisan campaign for the election of Dan MacMillan for mayor.

The espousal of the cause of Mr. MacMillan by Dr. Wendell A. Anderson was the most significant incident of the meeting, and elicited hearty applause.

It was not a speech-making meeting, for most of those who participated were business men who are strangers to the art of oratory, and aside from the stirring talk of Dr. Anderson and a brief but clever address by District Attorney D. S. Law the expressions of opinion were plain talks, from the heart, and of the confidential button-hole variety. But for this very reason they carried weight, for the people who were present realized that here were no professional politicians, but plain men who had awakened to a desire to secure better city government.

Mr. MacMillan was introduced, and in a few modest words expressed his appreciation of the honor and the responsibilities of the position into which he had been forced.

On the whole it may be said that the sound middle class of La Crosse business men, republicans and democrats alike, took their first step toward the performance of those duties of the citizens which are too often neglected. The issue is fairly raised, and upon the sound and unbiased sense of the taxpayers the outcome depends. We have that faith in the predominance of practical opinion in this city which impels us to the conclusion that Mr. MacMillan will be nominated in the approaching primary.

FAIR PAY FOR THE ABLE MAN

The president of a New York trust company says that his salary of $100,000 a year was awarded as "an indication of appreciation of his able management."

There is question as to the "able management." But there is no question as to the fact that infinitely superior and more useful men than any trust company president are not so highly paid.

The president of the United States, who more than any other man controls the political, commercial and social destinies of 90,000,000 people, gets $75,000 a year. The admiral of the navy gets $13,500. The army chief of staff gets $8,000. The secretary of state draws $12,000. United States senators draw $8,000.

Of the highest importance to society in a republic are its big educators. The pay of the mass of these character builders varies from $1,200 to $1500 a year. College professors average about $2,000. A few teachers of world-fame, in Harvard, Yale and Chicago, receive from $6,000 to $10,000.

There are said to be only three Congregational clergymen in this country—all of national fame and immeasurable influence—who receive more than $5,000 a year. An Episcopal bishop received from $3,000 to $12,500. Great city parishes in a few cases pay clergymen as high as $10,000.

Emerson, America's greatest philosopher, who has done more than a million trust company presidents to bring the public to better thinking and happier living, lived upon an income of $1,000 a year, eked out by lecturing, while writing his poems and essays.

If $100,000 a year indicates a trust company president's ability and value to the public, then his ability and value, as indicated in salary, is greater than that of the president of the United States and equal to that of the admiral of the navy, the chief of staff of the army, the secretary of state, three senators, 30 school teachers, five college professors, three highest-paid clergymen, a bishop and an Emerson.

A little man isn't necessarily henpecked, but he looks henpecked.

FACE A SIGHT WITH TETTER

Began With Pimple. Spread All Over Face. In Agony All the Time. Itched and Smarted. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Was Cured.

Moberly, Mo.—"My trouble began with a small pimple on the left side of my face and it spread all over my face and to my neck. It would be scarlet red when I got warm. My face was a sight. It looked very unpleasant, and it felt uncomfortable. My face was something awful; it just kept me in agony all the time. Some said it was tetter, and some said it was that awful eczema, but I rather think it was tetter. I had been troubled with it for about two years and tried many remedies but got no relief until I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment.



"When I would wash my face with the Cuticura Soap and apply the Cuticura Ointment it would cool my skin and draw great big drops of matter out of the skin. You would think I was sweating; it would run down my face just as though I had washed it. It itched and smarted and I suffered in the day time most from the heat from the stove. I used the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment for a month and I was cured of it. I will tell everyone I know who has any trouble of the skin." (Signed) Mrs. J Brooksher, Apr. 15, 1912.

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CROWN PRINCE WINS BATTLES FOR GREECE



Crown Prince Constantine.

The leader of the Greek forces in the Balkan war is Crown Prince Constantine of Greece. He has been very successful, and it was due to his military strategy that 30,000 Turks were compelled to lay down their arms at Janina last week. His victories in the present war have made him a great hero in his native land.

UPHOLD ZION SMOKE RULE

CHICAGO, March 12.—Overseer Voliva was elated today and the unrelenting crusade against the "filthy weed" within the precincts of Zion City will go on. The circuit court yesterday upheld the validity of the ordinance prohibiting smoking in the city of Dowie, and assessed a fine of $3 against Richard Behrens, an electrical worker, who puffed a cigarette on Zion City's streets.

DOCTORS FAILED TO RELIEVE—A KIDNEY MEDICINE ACCOMPLISHED REMARKABLE RESULTS

About fifteen years ago I began ailing with backache and sick headache, also nervous trouble. For about nine years I received treatment from different doctors but did not receive any relief or benefit from their medicine. About six years ago I began using Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root and took same until I was entirely cured of my ailments. I am now well and strong and have not had to take any medicine for the past two years. I attribute the cure of my ailments to Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and cannot praise the same enough. I would heartily recommend any person suffering with backache, sick headache or any nervous trouble caused by kidney disease to at once begin taking Swamp-Root, as I am positive it will effect a permanent cure.

Yours truly,
MRS. JOSEPH BOEHLER,
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Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

An Analogy

"A man resembles a cigar."
I heard a jester say;
"For he, like a cigar, is bound
To meet his match some day."

Just so, and then the man flares up
And like the "weed" gets red,
Which as a rule precedes the fact
Each soon doth lose his head.

A man, like a cigar, gets "short,"
And sometimes of the town
Becomes the butt—he also may
Be by a friend "thrown down."

Some weeds, and some men, too, are rank,
Some scarcely have a flaw,
Some are like actors, though well puffed
They can't be made to draw.

Wives see another likeness still
(Though this their husbands flout)
A man, like a cigar, is spoiled
If he is let go out.

And lastly, this analogy
Their finish does not mar;
Both come to ashes in the end,
The man and the cigar.
—G. H. W. in Boston Transcript.

Only Fancy

The Princess Colleredo Mannsfeld, praising the magic of the modern beauty parlor, said in Boston.

"The beauty parlor, especially the modern beauty parlor, accomplishes miracles with our figures, our coloring, our features.

"A playwright said to me the other day (and I almost believe he was in earnest):

"'I introduce a novel touch of realism into the second act of my new play. It's a touch so simple and so true, I wonder nobody ever thought of it before.'

"'What is this touch, Mr. Fiasco?' I inquired.

"'My heroine,' he replied, 'is in the first act a fat, dark haired country girl with a snub nose, while in the second act, after her flight with young Scattergood Golde to the metropolis, she is a svelte and slender blonde with a profile of patrician aquilinity.'"

The Reward of Unselfishness

Uncle Joe Cannon, who has spent nearly all his life in congress, was arguing that he should not complain about his defeat inq the last election. It reminded him, he said, of the sad fate of a certain polite man.

Two friends who were in poor circumstances pooled their ersources, went into a restaurant and ordered two chops. When the food was brought both immediately noticed that one chop was larger than the other. Jack, who was quick-witted, said to Sam:

"You help to these chops."

Sam did, and calmly gave Jack the small chop.

"Now," said Jack reproachfully, "I am a polite man, and if I had been helping to these chops I should have given you the big one and kept the little one myself."

"Well," said Sam judiciously, "what are you kicking about? You got the little one, didn't you?"

Love's Supreme Test

"Darling," cried the young man, as he sank at the maiden's feet, "I would do anything to prove my love for you!"

"That's what every man says when he wants to win a girl," answered the young lady, harshly.

"Can't I move you?" panted the desperate Romeo. "Prove me! Put me to the test; Test me, I pray you!"

"I wonder," whispered the lady softly to herself, while a blush mantled her pale cheeks. Then suddenly bending over the almost swooning youth who crouched at her feet, she exclaimed: "I will put you to the test."

"Ah!" The youth sprang to his feet, exultant, triumphant, and cried aloud to the maiden at his side: "Your test? Your test?"

"'Tis to marry some other girl," murmured the sweet young thing, as she glided backward through the velvet curtains into the ballroom.—Answers.

Likes Chicken Well Enough to Buy It

In the endeavor to uplift the race a friend of ours started in by trying to smash silly old superstitions. Our friend believes that negroes are maligned and that many of the stock jokes about them are not founded on fact. He has, in fact, succeeded in proving that a number of the old minstrel standbys are mere senseless jests. And the other day he interviewed the elevator boy in his ofice building.

"Arthur," he said, "there's a silly old saying that you colored people are crazy about chickens. I can't see how that started. Do you like chicken?"

"Yassuh."

"Of course — almost everybody likes chicken. I mean to say, do you like it better than anything else in the world? Do you like it so well that you would steal it if you couldn't obtain it honestly?"

"Boss, I likes chicken so well dat if I couldn't git it no other way I'd buy it."

He Talked Shop

"Oh, papa," she said, with a blush, "young Mr. Chestnut, who owns so many coal mines in the Midlands, is coming again this evening, and he says he wants to see you on some important business."

"All right, my dear,' responded the old man, chucking her playfully under the chin. "I know what the young man wants."

That evening Mr. Chestnut came to the point at once.

"Mr. Hendricks," he said boldly, "I want to ask you if you have laid in your winter stock of coal?"—Ideas.

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The Just and The Unjust

By Vaughan Kester

Author of The Prodigal Judge

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"What does it matter to you?"

"It makes a brute of you; it's killing you!"

"The sooner the better," he said. "For you, perhaps; but what about me?"

"Don't you ever think of any one but yourself?" he sneered.

"Is that the way it impresses you?" she asked coldly.

She slipped into the chair opposite him and began slowly to draw off her gloves. Langham was silent for a minute or two; he gazed intently at her and by degrees the hard steely glitter faded from his heavy bloodshot eyes. Fascinated, his glance dwelt upon her; nothing of her fresh beauty was lost to him; the smooth curve of her soft white throat, the alluring charm of her warm sensuous lips, the tiny dimple that came and went when she smiled, the graceful pliant lines of her figure, the rare poise of her small head—his glance observed all. For better or for worse he loved her with whatever of the man there was in him; he might hate her in some sudden burst of fierce anger because of her shallowness, her greed, her utter selfishness; but he loved her always, he could never be wholly free from the spell her beauty had cast over him.

"Look here, Evelyn," he said at last. "What's the use of going on in this way, why can't we get back to some decent undestanding?" He was hungry for tenderness from her; acute physical fear was holding him in its grip. He leaned back in his chair and found support for his head. "You're right," he went on, "I can't stand this racket much longer—this work and worry; we are living beyond our means; we'll have to slow up, get down to a more sane basis." The words came from his blue lips in jerky disjointed sentences. "What's the use, it's too much of a struggle! I do a thousand things I don't want to do, shady things in my practice, things no reputable lawyer should stoop to, and all to make a few dollars to throw away. I tell you, I am sick of it! Why can't we be as other people, reasonable and patient — that's the thing, to be patient, and just bide our time. We can't live like millionaires on my income, what's the use of trying—I tell you we are fools!"

"Are matters so desperate with us?" Evelyn asked. "And is it all my fault?"

"I can't do anything to pull up unless you help me," Langham said.

"Well, are matters so desperate?" she repeated.

He did not answer her at once.

"Bad enough," he replied at length and was silent.

A sense of terrible loneliness swept over him; a loneliness peopled with shadows, in which he was the only living thing, but the shadows were infinitely more real than he himself. He had the brute instinct to hide, and the human instinct to share his fear. He poured himself a drink. Evelyn watched him with compressed lips as he drained the glass. He drew himself up out of the depths of his chair and began to tramp the floor; words leaped to his lips but he pressed them back; he was aware that only the most intangible barriers held between them; an impulse that grew in his throbbing brain seemed driving him forward to destroy these barriers; to stand before her as he was; to emerge from his mental solitude and claim her companionship. What was marriage made for, if not for this?

"Look here," he said, wheeling on her suddenly, "Do you still love me? Do you still care as you once did?" He seized one of her hands in his.

"You hurt me, Marsh!" she said, drawing away from him.

He dropped her hand and with a smothered oath turned from her.

"You woman don't know what love is!" he snarled. "Talk about a woman giving up; talk about her sacrifices—it's nothing to what a man does, where he loves!"

"What does he do that is so wonderful, Marsh?" she asked coldly.

He paused and regarded her with a wolfish glare.

"It's no damned anemic passion!" he burst out.

"Thank you," she mocked. "Really, Marsh, you are outdoing yourself!"

"You have never let me see into your heart—never once!"

"Perhaps it's just as well I have not; perhaps it is a forbearance for which you should be only grateful," she jeered.

"If you were the sort of woman I once thought you, I'd want to hide nothing from you; but a woman—she's secretive and petty, she always keeps her secrets; the million little things she won't tell, the little secrets that means so much to her—and a man wastes his life in loving such a woman, and is bitter when he finds he's given all for nothing!"

His heavy tramping went on.

"Is that the way you feel about it?" she asked.

"Yes!" he cried. "I'm infinitely more lonely than when I married you! Look here, I came to you, and in six months' time you knew a thousand things you had no right to know, unless you, too, were willing to come as close! But I'm damned if I know the first thing about you—sometimes you are one thing, sometimes another. I never know where to find you!"

"And I'm to blame that we are unhappy? Of course you ive in a way to make any woman perfectly happy—you are never at fault there!"

"You never eeally loved me!"

"Didn't I?" she sighed with vague emotion.

"No."

"Then why did I marry you, Marsh."

"Heaven knows—I don't!"

"Then why did you marry me?" She gave him a fleeting smile.

"Because I loved you—because you had crept into my heart with your pretty ways, your charm, and the fascination of you. I hadn't any thought but you; you seemed all of my life, and I was going to do such great things for you. By God, I was going to amount to something for your sake! I was going to make you a proud and happy woman, but you wouldn't have it! You never got past the trivial things; the annoyances, the need of money, the little self-denials, the little inconveniences; you stopped there and dragged me back when I wanted to go on; you wouldn't have it, you couldn't or wouldn't understand my hopes—my ambitions!"

"Marsh, I was only a girl!" she said.

He put out his hand toward the bottle.

"Don't, Marsh!" she entreated.

(To be Continued)

A Hobo's Hard Luck

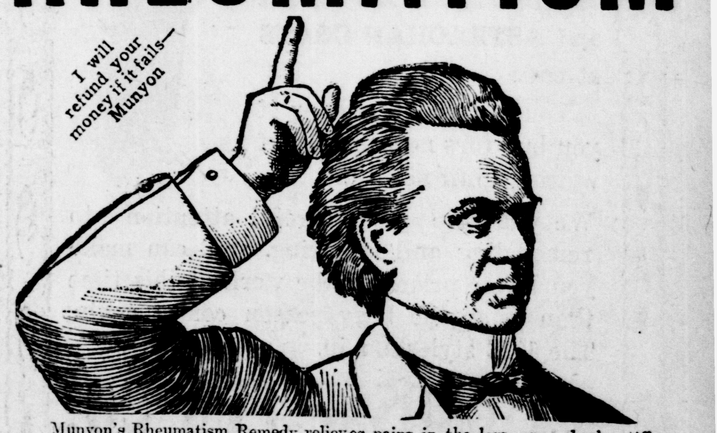
A group of hoboes waiting for their coffee to boil in a tomato can were telling of their hard luck experiences.

"I've had worse luck than anybody," said one of them, challengingly, after listening to the others' tales of woe. "Once I had to sleep from Wilkesbarre to Perth Amboy on top of a flat car loaded with hard coal.

"And what do you think?" he went on. "Every car on the next train that pulled in from the same direction was loaded with soft coal."—Everybody's Magazine.

"I never thought much of professor as a title until I encountered a tight wire artist who posed as a 'prof.'"—Rufe Hoskins.

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FARM MANAGEMENT CONTEST PLANNED

La Crosse county is to have a farm management contest the coming season. The contest will be one of a series held in every county in the state, and the winners of the county contests will compete in a state-wide match.

The movement is fathered by Prof. D. H. Otis of the state college of agriculture at Madison, who will be at the Onalaska agricultural school Friday and Saturday to explain to all farmers of this county who are interested the details of the plan.

The awards will be made by taking into consideration every department of farm work. The farmer showing the best results in every line considering his resources will be the winner. Prof. Otis and representatives from the state college will be the judges. The prizes will be certificates of merit signed by the dean of the agricultural college.

Farmers entered in the contest must be members of the state agricultural experiment society. They will be required to keep records for the examination of the judges.

Fat women can believe it of themselves, even when they have to buy their dress material by the mile.

NOTICE.

All social events at the Tabernacle Baptist church postponed for one week.

RECEIVES ANCIENT BOOK

A. N. Robson, 1637 Wood street, has received two of the most unique volumes ever seen in this country from a relative in England. They are a short history of England, published probably about 1750, and a volume of the poems of Sir Thomas Moore.

TO BOWL TONIGHT

The Bromo Seltzers and the Old Styles will bowl at the Combination alleys tonight.

QUARRELS.

Be slow to quarrel. Many lives have been spoiled by foolish quarrels. Scarcely any private quarrel ever happens in which the right and the wrong are so exquisitely divided that all the right is on one side and all the wrong on the other.

AT ONCE! CLOGGED NOSTRILS OPEN, HEAD COLDS AND CATARRH VANISH

Breathe Freely! Clears Stuffed-up, Inflamed Nose and Head and Stops Catarrhal Discharge. Cures Dull Headache.

Try "Ely's Cream Balm."

Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning; the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

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North Side

FLOOD THREATENS LA CROSSE BRIDGE

Men Stationed on Threatened Structure to Stave Off the Ice Jam

WATER BACKED INTO SWAMP

Motor Boats in the Black River Not Safe; Ice About to Go Out

The Third street La Crosse river bridge was endangered this morning by the high water and by the ice from upstream which jammed around the abutments of the bridge.

When it was noticed that the water was rising, men were stationed at both ends, to shove the ice that was being forced against it, through the channel. At times the water got so high it ran over the floor of the bridge. The water was backed up in the river bottoms for a great distance, filling the swamp to a depth of two feet. Work was suspended at the new water plant because of the flood. At noon today the water had forced a passage to the Mississippi and receded to nearly its former level.

Boat "fans" of the North side who wagered that the ice would go out of Black river before the first of April, feel jubilant today on account of the fact that it moved quite a bit today. For long stretches the ice has left in the main channels, and all along the banks the ice has fallen, leaving two feet of water on top.

Motor boat owners who have their boats moored to the banks of Black river fear for their safety, as in many places the houses have become frozen to the ice, and are being held down underneath the water.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

A good show at the Dreamland.

J. C. Robertson has returned to his home on the north side, after a visit with friends and relatives in St. Louis.

W. Spikler, Minneapolis, is in the city for a short visit with friends and relatives.

Marcus Huff and Edward Hanson have left the city for Missoula, Mont., where they will make their future home.

Michael McCue is in the city from Holmen visiting friends and relatives.

Millinery opening at Mrs. Taylor, 807 Rose street, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Earl Tietz has left the city for a visit to Chicago with friends.

R. Rusk has returned to his home on the north side of the city, after a visit with friends and relatives in Sparta.

N. C. Noggle, DeSoto, is in the city for a few days visiting friends and relatives.

John Gilbertson, an employe of the Milwaukee, is recovering from an accident he had in the roundhouse, in which he sprained his ankle.

Leonard Sagen, Minneapolis, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Semingson, 1402 George street.

J. Klos is confined to his home at 1553 Berlin street, with a slight illness.

Mrs. G. Brakke is again able to be about after having been confined to her home at 1213 Avon street.

B. Brown, 917 Avon street, is visiting relatives and friends in Milwaukee.

Miss Isabelle Mercereau who has been confined to her home at 1639 Charles street with illness, is able to be out.

Mrs. O. T. Welch, Savanna, Ill., is visiting Mrs. J. Welch, 1029 Berlin street.

S. Larkin has returned to his home on the north side from Minneapolis, where he has been visiting for some time.

Mrs. J. Jacobson, 1337 George St., entertained the Ladies' Aid of the Bethel Lutheran church this afternoon in the church parlors.

Miss Lillian Buckley of Galena, is visiting north relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. Mullen, 1713 Loomis St., is visiting friends and relatives in St. Paul.

Miss Lillian Ferris of Wilton, is visiting at the home of Mrs. J. Kerrigan, 528 Mill street.

Christ Gilberg, 1403 Berlin street who has been ill at his home, is again able to be out.

Miss Anna Halter who has been visiting relatives on the north side, has returned to Holmen.

Viola Hoesley, 1539 Charles St., who has been ill at her home is able to be about again.

Miss Olive Erickson is ill at her home, 1417 Berlin street.

Mr. J. Johnson of Westby spent yesterday in the city.

Mrs. F. Barret who has been the guest of Mrs. Horne, 400 block on Mill street, has returned to Green Bay.

Miss Alma Lee is ill at her home, 1408 Berlin street.

The Ladies' Aid of the North Presbyterian church will be entertained Thursday in the church parlors by the Mesdames Humphrey and Harrington.

Adaline Stephenson is ill at her home, 1548 George street.

Mrs. C. Gilberg, 1403 Berlin St., who has been ill is able to be about again.

Waiting.

A junior officer on a warship was dressing to go ashore and sent for his attendant, a newly recruited negro boy.

"Sam," said the officer, "give my compliments to the executive officer and tell him I desire permission to go ashore"—which is the formality.

"Yes, suh," said the boy, who stood at attention and did not leave.

"Well," said the officer sharply, "why don't you go?"

"Why, suh," replied the boy, "I ain't heerd no compliments yit!"—Saturday Evening Post.

Most Perfect Pun In Existence.

Opinions will continue to differ as to the most perfect pun in existence. It will be hard, however, to find one to beat "Peccavi—I have Sind," attributed to the fine old soldier who conquered the Indus province in 1843. Of course it is ridiculous to suppose that Sir Charles Napier could ever have made the joke or, having made it, could have made it to do duty as a dispatch after a victory, but so the story goes, and it is certainly good enough to be true.—New York Sun.

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In speaking of his candidacy for the office of mayor, W. F. Adams, popularly known as "the shoeman," is quoted as saying:

"A great many people wonder what brought me into the race in this campaign. Many people, including a large number who are personal friends of mine, have up to now looked on my candidacy as more or less of a joke. I wish to state now for all time that I was in earnest from the very start, that I entered this fight with full knowledge of what would happen, and recognized the fact that I had before me the greatest fight of my life.

"I am in the field as the young man's candidate. I will fight my fight for the men of all ages who want to see a city that all will be proud of.

"No city can progress to its limit when it is being strangled from the inside. Ring politics and corporation controlled government have been found out at last. All over the country the fight is being made to oust from public office those men who are in sympathy with, or who are working for, the moneyed interests. The young man, the man full of punch and energy, the man who wants to see progress, equality and a square deal, is swiftly coming into his own.

"Abraham Lincoln once said, 'God must love the common people, for he made so many of them.' The majority should rule. Therefore, if the common people are in the majority, why should they consent to be ruled by men whose affiliations with corporations are well known?

"I am a common working man. I came into this city with practically nothing, and I have, by my own efforts entirely, built up a business that, while not so very large, is prosperous, and have established a reputation for giving a square deal.

"If elected for the high office of mayor of La Crosse, I will carry the same ideas that have made my business successful into that office with me. I will have been elected by the poular vote, and will have no strings tied to my administration."

FARM HAND IS KILLED BY TRAIN

Richard Goodie Struck by Passenger While Walking from Dakota to Dresbach

WORKED ON SALZER'S PLACE

Hit by One Train When He Steps Out of the Way of Another

Another fatality due to double tracking was added to the list yesterday at 12 o'clock, when Richard Goodie, a farm hand of Dresbach, was struck and instantly killed by passenger train No. 6 of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad.

Mr. Goodie was walking the track from Dakota to Dresbach, and had stepped out of the way of a westbound freight train. As the train passed, he stepped back on the right of way to the east-bound track and was hurled fifty feet or more by the passenger train which he did not see.

When picked up by the engine crew, Goodie was dead, although the body was not mutilated. Engineer C. W. Jones and Conductor Michael Conley took the body to Dresbach. Mr. Goodie was employed on Salzer's place near Dresbach.

HARD TIMES PARTY

The Royal Neighbors held a "hard times" party last night at the Rose Street Woodman hall. A dance was given in connection with the party and refreshments were served.

Ancient Money.

In 200 B. C. money was five times more valuable than it is now. In the eighth century, after the abandonment of the mines of Spain and Attica, it had risen to six and a half times. In the seventeenth century it got up to the maximum of seven and a half times our present scale. Soon after the discovery of America, when great quantities of metal began to circulate in Europe, it rapidly declined. In 1514, only twenty-two years after the first voyage of Columbus, it had fallen to four and a half times. In 1536 it went down to two and a quarter times, and in 1640 was nearly at our present day value.—New York American.

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TONIGHT AND THURSDAY

SEWING CIRCLE MEETS

The St. Joseph's Sewing circle was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Rose Colgan, 1202 Berlin street. The afternoon was spent pleasantly with amusements, and a light luncheon was served.

The Overcoat.

Probably in no other department sartorial is there exhibited so much indifference to hygienic considerations as in the overcoat. The greatest fallacy of all perhaps in regard to the choice of an overcoat is that the terms "weight" and "warmth" are synonymous. As a matter of fact, they are nearly always diametrically opposed. Moreover, the heavy overcoat is a tax on the resources of the organism and destroys the economy which a good insulating cloth is intended to secure. —London Lancet.

POULTRYMEN TO MEET

The La Crosse Poultrymen's association will hold a meeting tonight in Bartl's hall. An election of officers will be held, and plans will be discussed for the poultry show to be held here in the fall.

Plants Like Stones.

In South Africa there is found a plant growing on stony ground which so closely resembles a pebble that it is invariably taken by the stranger to be a stone. Another species of the same plant growing on the hills round the Karoo produces two leaves about as large as ducks' eggs, having a surface resembling weathered stone of brownish gray color tinged with green. These plants look like stones, but for a short time they put forth bright yellow flowers.

PE-RU-NA A GRIP REMEDY

A Multitude of Cases Take It After Everything Else Has Failed

Mr Robert H. Norris.



A great many people in this country have taken Peruna for the grip. They have taken Peruna in the first stages, when the first symptoms appeared. They find by experience that Peruna will abort the course of the disease. People who take Peruna recover much quicker.

Comparatively few, however, take Peruna during the acute stage. Generally other medicines are taken at first, where doctors are employed. But when the disease becomes chronic, when recovery has been sufficient to enable the patient to be convalescent and yet all run down, out of sorts, easily fatigued, no appetite, when this stage of grip has been reached, then there are multitudes that resort to Peruna and they are never disappointed. Peruna restores them in a comparatively short time.

Grip is a catarrhal disease. Whether it spreads from person to person, or whether each person gets it direct from the atmosphere is a mooted question. I will not discuss it, further than to say that if grip is passed on by one person to another it would be properly called epidemic catarrh. If, however, grip is taken from the atmosphere and not from each other, it would be properly called endemic catarrh.

Yes, grip is a catarrhal disease. An acute catarrhal disease. In some cases it resembles a common cold. There are some symptoms different. Intense aching of the muscles and bones. Tired feelings predominate. It comes on more suddenly than a common cold. There has been no particular exposure to cold to account for it.

Samuel M. York, of Union Grove, Alabama, says: "I was taken with the grip. This produced catarrhal deafness. After taking two bottles of Peruna I found myself well of the grip and my hearing was fully restored. My health is better than it has been in five years."

A great many people have a similar experience. Not only do they find themselves relieved of grip, but they find their health in other respects greatly improved.

Mrs. Jane Gift, Athens, Ohio, R. D. 1, says: "I think I would have been dead long ago if it hadn't been for Peruna. Six years ago I had the grip very bad. I grew worse, in spite of doctors and other remedies. I saw an account of a woman who had been cured of grip by Peruna. My husband got some Peruna and improvement began in a very short time. I continued to use it until was entirely well."

Mr. C. Happy, of Hardin, Ray Co., Missouri, "took a very bad cold and had la grippe last February," he says. "I took three bottles of Peruna and it cured me."

Similar letters are received frequently, without any solicitation on our part. They come to us through our regular correspondence, and of course represent only a small fraction of the cures made by Peruna of the grip in its various phases and stages.

Yes, Peruna is a catarrh remedy. It matters not whether the catarrh is epidemic or endemic, or where the catarrh is located in the body, Peruna is an efficient, reliable remedy. One trial of it is all the recommendation that is needed to make Peruna a fixture in every home.

Mr. Robert H. Norris, No. 1333 Henry St., North Berkeley, California, whose portrait appears above, also used Peruna with great benefit. He writes: "We have never had any other medicine in our home but Peruna since we have been married.

"I suffered with kidney and bladder trouble, but two months treatment with Peruna made me a well and strong man.

"My wife felt weak and was easily tired and was also troubled with various pains, but since she took Peruna she is well and strong."

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RAVENEL LABELS FRIEDMANN FAKE

ST. PAUL, March 12.—Dr. M. P. Ravenel of the University of Wisconsin, a national authority on tuberculosis, Tuesday morning denounced the alleged discoveries of Dr. Friedmann, the German scientist, who is attempting to demonstrate a cure in New York City, as a fraud, and intimated that Friedmann himself is a faker. Dr. Ravenel arrived in Minneapolis at noon and spoke at 8 p. m. last evening in the chapel of the State University on "Public Health as a Duty," under the auspices of the Speakers' Bureau of the American Medical association.

aggravate catarrhal colds and bronchial disorders, and if neglected often lead to pneumonia or consumption.
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WOMAN ELECTED TO BOARD OF EDUCATION

M'GREGOR, Iowa, March 2.1 — Woman entered the arena of politics in McGregor and Clayton county yesterday when Miss Betsey Larrabee was elected a member of the McGregor board of education. She is the first woman as far as is known to be elected to office in Clayton county. Her election was without opposition and came in the nature of a surprise to herself. That she has been willing to accept the office is a matter of congratulation to the community. She succeeds Dr. H. H. Clark who has been a member of the board for fifteen years. Miss Larrabee is a niece of former Governor Larrabee and for a number of years was assistant professor of English at Ames. The town nearest to McGregor having a woman on the board of education is Clermont. Mrs. William Larrabee, Jr., is a member of the Clermont board.

TWO DIE IN WRECK

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 12.—Two passengers were killed and seven others injured early today when a street car jumped the tracks at Ludlow and Clifton avenues, and crashed into a building.

Low Priced Heroes.

Playing hero in the drama in England is a pretty poorly paid game on the average. The man taking the leading part in a kind of touring dramatic company, of which there are a great many, gets from $9.50 to $12 a week, and the small part folk pull down $6 to $7. The salary of a heroine keeps around $8.50, and the "aristocratic lady" finds about $6.25 in her pay envelope. It isn't uncommon for that kind of player to play four or five parts in a drama in a week for $7.—New York Press.

About the time a man gets too old to do wrong, he begins to do right.

Around the Market Square

Parker-Hirt Machine Co. is the most modern auto home.

It was a dull day on the market yesterday on account of the elections in Minnesota. La Crescent was voting on the saloon license question. The town went "dry" two to one.

It is reported that the Root river is on the rampage and Pine creek is a foot and a half over its banks. The sudden thaw is given as the cause of the floods. The ice has gone out of most of the smaller streams.

Buy your roofing paper from the La Crosse Wrecking & Lumber Co. They save you money.

Farmers report roads very rough and muddy, almost impassable in places.

James Farrell, the Pine Creek advocate of a free bridge to La Crosse, reports the La Crescent turnpike in tip top condition.

Going to build a chicken coop? The La Crosse Wrecking & Lumber Company furnish the material for a 10x10 coop for $18.00, other sizes accordingly. They always save you money.

Mike Schuerdecker of La Crescent sold his farm to William E. Tschumper for $6,000. Mr. Schuerdecker will retire from active business and reside in the village of Hokah.

Rubber, canvas and leather belting. La Crosse Wrecking & Lumber company. We save you money.

Peter Schlabach of North Branch, Minn., lost a thumb in a wood sawing machine.

Otto Wolf of Smith's Coulee sold a load of hay on the market.

Otto Nicolas brought a load of hay from his farm in Mormon Coulee.

Mrs. Dr. Cohen, who gives electrical treatments of various kinds, also hot air baths, could not keep appointments on account of sickness, but is now ready to make and keep appointments at any time at her home, 429 South Fifth.

J. Hoffman of French Island sold two loads of hogs.

Al Miller of Mormon Coulee brought in a load of hay.

John Beyer of Barre Mills sold a load of hay in the city.

William Bosshard of Brownsville, Minn., is unloading two car loads of hard wood here.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Co. for your next hack call. Phone 179.

Ole Skrade Larson brought a load of hay from Barre Mills.

O. P. Allen of Blue Lake, Minn., brought in a load of hay.

George Allen of French Island sold a load of hay.

Hiram Kohlmeyer of La Crosse Ridge brought in a load of potatoes.

August Mundstock sold a load of potatoes from his farm in Mormon Coulee valley.

John Kerrigan brought a load of wheat from Nodine, Minn.

ACCIDENT CURES EYE BORN BLIND

MARINETTE, Wis., March 12.—The case of Severin S. Hermanson, who finds himself able to see with an eye which had been blind from birth, after losing the sight of the other eye in an accident, is proving a mystery to Marinette people. Hermanson lost the sight of his "good" eye in a sleighride tipover three weeks ago, when the eyeball and a portion of his brain were penetrated by a twig. It was not believed he could recover, but he left the hospital this week and found to his astonishment that he could see slightly with the eye which he had believed blind from birth.

GIRL MASQUERADES AS FARM LABORER

BISBEE, N. D., March 12.—Masquerading for three years as a male farm hand, the daughter of a former county treasurer of Southern Minnesota spent the greater part of three years in this locality and her identity was not suspected by more than two or three people. The woman was an expert stenographer but revoked the conventional woman's dress. She adopted male attire and did a man's work in the harvest fields and during the threshing season.

BATTLE FOR CONTRACTS

JANESVILLE, Wis., March 12.—The stage was set today for the opening of the annual battle between the United States Sugar company and the Rock County Sugar company for the sugar beet contracts throughout Rock, Dane, Walworth, Racine and Kenosha counties. Both concerns have met men in the field bidding for the crop to be harvested this fall.

As bad as a drinking song usually is it isn't as bad as the drink.

Few of our troubles are worth the time it takes to tell them.

POSLAM MAKES THOUSANDS LOOK WELL

Many who have given up hope of ever being rid of some distressing skin disease—and who have later experienced complete cure through Poslam—look upon its accomplishments as nothing short of miraculous.

All skin diseases, including eczema, acne, tetter, salt rheum, itch, etc., are quickly eradicated by Poslam. Itching is stopped at once. Common troubles, such as pimples, red noses, rashes, etc., respond so readily that overnight treatment is often sufficient. If you need the healing effects of Poslam, try it now.

POSLAM SOAP used daily for toilet and bath will keep the skin in healthy condition, and improve its color and texture. Purest and best that money can buy.

All druggists sell Poslam (price, 50 cents) and Poslam Soap (price, 25 cents). For free samples, write to the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West 25th Street, New York City.

Stop Neglecting Your Stomach

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Will Do the Work of the Strongest and Healthiest Stomach and Afford Instant Relief

The worst case of indigestion is simply neglect to give the stomach needed assistance.

When your food does not digest, when gases form, when you experience that uncomfortable feeling of fullness, when the breath is foul, the tongue coated and that sour taste is in the mouth—take a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet and watch how quickly every one of these symptoms disappear.



Your Stomach Will Never Give Out or Grow Old, if You Depend Upon Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets

All that was needed was to digest that lump of food in your stomach,—and the glands, whose duty it is to supply the gastric juices, had simply given out from overwork. So when you took that little tablet you were supplying exactly what was necessary to complete the process of digestion that the stomach had begun but was unable to finish.

If you would continue to take a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet after each meal for awhile, your stomach would have a chance to rest up and get well and strong again.

Try just one box and you will never want to be without this wonderful little remedy for stomach troubles. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contain an ingredient, one grain of which will digest 3,000 grains of food. They are entirely harmless because they have absolutely no effect on the system one way or another except to do just the one thing—digest food.

Every drug store everywhere sells and recommends Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at 50 cents a box.

WRING CONCESSIONS FROM MINE OWNERS



J. Benj. Dimmick (top) and E. J. Lynett.

J. Benjamin Dimmick and E. J. Lynett, former mayor and newspaper editor, respectively, of Scranton, Pa., as members of the Pennsylvania State Mine Cave Commission have wrung important concessions from the coal operators of that state. The most important is that the operators have at last agreed to pay half the damage caused to buildings which are injured or destroyed by mine caves.

IRISH INVITE DUNN

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 12.—J. H. O'Connor, former Wisconsin attorney general, who is at the head of the arrangements committee, for the local St. Patrick's day celebration, announced today he had invited Governor Edward F. Dunne of Illinois to address the Hibernians in the auditorium here.

SOCIETY

CORA LARSON ENTERTAINS

Miss Cora Larson, 335 South Twenty-third street, entertained a number of her friends last Monday night, in honor of her birthday. The amusements were the playing of games and the telling of stories and jokes. Miss Larson received many gifts.

Those present were the Misses Francis Bailey, Myrtle and Leona Larson, Anna Larson, Ruth Christianson, Olga Backum, M. Christianson, Esther Knudson, Bernice Layman, Jeannette Hemleder; Mrs. A. W. Larson, Mrs. W. J. Spafford and Miss Cora Larson.

SUGAR PARTY

Mrs. David Austin entertained at a second "sugar party" this afternoon at her home, the proceeds to go to an orphanage in Iowa. There were about twenty present. Hot biscuit and maple syrup were served without stint.

DINNER

Captain and Mrs. W. A. Thompson entertained at a dinner Monday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Esperson, Mrs. Munson Burton and Mrs. W. E. Sawyer.

AFTERNOON COMPANIES

Mrs. Munson Burton entertained a few friends of Mrs. W. A. Thompson yesterday at the home of her mother, Mrs. D. A. McDonald. The guests were Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Dousman of Prairie du Chien, Mrs. L. C. Colman, Mrs. H. L. Colman, Mrs. W. E. Sawyer, Mrs. D. Cunningham, Mrs. E. L. Colman and Miss Dorothy Hixon,

Mrs. O. L. Lenhart entertained at a coffee Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Phil Linker entertained the Tuesday afternoon bridge club yesterday.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Alvin Hart entertained thirty young friends of her little daughter Dorothy yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Dorothy's birthday.

LADIES' AID TO MEET

The Ladies' Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church church, corner of Sixth and Division streets, will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. A. Verket, Mrs. J. A. Anderson and Mrs. A. Lund.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. E. L. Colman left last night for Youngstown, Ohio, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Clarke. She will be joined by Miss Anna Colman who is attending Smith college and will spend her Easter vacation with them.

Captain and Mrs. W. A. Thompson left last night for New York, where they will join a party and go to Panama.

Mrs. L. F. Easton is in St. Paul.

Miss Sonia Ladoff, of the normal school faculty, is confined at her home with an attack of la grippe.

F. L. Koppelberger and J. E. Higbee have returned from a business trip to Milwaukee.

Mrs. D. C. Dewey left today for Grand Haven, Mich., where she was summoned this morning by the sudden death of her father, Jacob Nemire, eary today.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

Golf Links.

The orthodox number of eighteen holes, it seems, was fixed by pure chance. There were originally twenty-two holes on St. Andrews links, and so it continued till 1764, when the first four holes were converted into two. Thenceforward every full course has been laid out to correspond with the alma mater.—London Saturday Review.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of John J. Schilling, late of the Town of Onalaska, in said County, deceased.

Letters testamentary in said matter having been granted to Herman Rahn, of Onalaska, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that 6 months after the twenty-fifth day of February, A. D. 1913, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the second day of September, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Courthouse in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 25th day of February, 1913.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.
McCONNELL & SCHWEIZER,
Attorneys for Executor.

Are You Still Thinking of Buying a New Watch?
We have several new patterns in thin model watches. The Waltham, Hampden, Elgin and Ill. Springfield are all standard and reliable makes. We guarantee these watches as the best in the market.
W. T. IRVINE, Jeweler


Easter Hat Question Answered
Mrs. Sundt-Callaway
The Fashion Shop 5th and Main St.


DELIGHTFUL DERMA VIVA
THE IDEAL POWDER
Makes *Red, Brown,* or *Dark Face, Neck, Hands* or *Arms* as *White* as milk and no one can tell you have it on. Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back. Price 50c.
O. T. ERHART

Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Search Miser's Hut
NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., March 12.—Learning that Israel Marks, second-hand dealer, had $53,000 secreted in his home, relatives of the dead miser are conducting a hunt for more treasure.

Studies Law to Get Divorce
NEW YORK.—In order to obtain a divorce from her husband, whom she married in 1896, Dr. Isabella Hammond is studying law. She intends to conduct her own case.

Dog Finds $2,000
NEW YORK.—While searching for a wallet containing $2,000 in bills and checks, a wealthy Fifth avenue jeweler, attracted by the bark of his fox terrier, discovered that the animal had found the purse.

Fine Governor—He Threatens City
COLUMBIA, S. C.—Angered by a second fine imposed on his negro chauffeur for speeding, Governor Blease threatened to put this city under martial law.

Insure Against European War
LONDON.—Large insurance policies are being placed on the risk of war among the powers in six months; the rate being ten guineas per cent.

Capture Bonnot's Lieutenant
PARIS.—Lacombe, anarchist and alleged lieutenant of the notorious Bonnot, automobile bandit leader, was captured by the police as he stopped in the Boulecard de la Villette to watch a street fair.

Breaks Arm Doing Tango
LONDON.—Ida Crispi, a professional dancer, fell and broke her arm while attempting to do the American modification of the Tango.

$13.92 Boat Brings $3,50
CHICAGO—United States Marshal Hoy spent $13.92 to seize a motor boat that failed to comply with government regulations. At government auction the boat sold at only $3.50.

"Pink Lemo" Circusmen's Drink
CHICAGO.—Big circus showmen who will meet here Friday and Saturday, have agreed to bar liquor from the dinner menus. Pink lemonade is included.

Can't See Sweetheart
CHICAGO.—Lester Thiele, 18, can write to May Kowalke, 17, but he cannot see her for a year. Judge Sabath so ruled in passing on complaints by the girl's parents of too much "puppy" love.

Barrymore Dots Barber's Eye
LOS ANGELES—John Barrymore, actor, was assessed $800 by a jury for blacking a barber's eye. Barrymore said the barber insisted on cutting his hair when he only wanted a shave.

It scares a man to get some money and think what if his family should find it out.

As airships no longer kill as many as formerly the game of motor polo has been started.

MASONS ATTENTION.

Funeral services will be held at the Masonic temple, corner Eighth and Main streets, Thursday afternoon, March 13, at 2:30 p. m. for our deceased Brother, Frank S. Phillips. All brothers are requested to attend the services. A. C. BURKE, W. M.

"THIRD DEGREE" IS VAIN

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 12.—Chief of Police Janssen today gave up hope of getting a confession from Giovanni Severino, under arrest charged with the murder of Mrs. Ronzio and her son. Three hours of the most grilling "third degree" last night failed to shake the prisoner's nerve.

EXONERATE AUTO DRIVER

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 12.—A verdict of accidental death was returned by the coroner's jury today at the inquest over the body of 11 year old Bernice Rachwagger, struck and instantly killed late Tuesday night by the automobile of A. J. Berndt, a candy salesman.

The reason a girl's father thinks she is as innocent as the day she was born is nobody else does.

Fill Out the Hollows and Wrinkles Will Vanish

Did you ever stop to think what makes wrinkles? It's the hollows in the face and neck that bring the wrinkles. Fill out these hollows, make the flesh firm and the lines of worry and care will vanish.

An athlete's flesh is firm, but women who can't spend their time in gymnasiums can get the same results with this simple recipe:

Melt a half pound of cocoa butter or albolene and while it is hot stir in two ounces of fillene (flesh food), and allow the mixture to cool. Use this once or twice a day by rubbing it gently into the neck, face or any part of the body. The skin will glow and after a short time the hollows will disappear. Fillene discourages the growth of hair. Your druggist can supply you with the ingredients. If he can't he can get them for you.

H. C. EVENSON
EYESIGHT SPECIALIST
MANUFACTURING OPTICIAN
5TH & MAIN STS. UP STAIRS
LA CROSSE WISCONSIN


The Passion Play of The Independents

The Crimson Cross

The finest 3-reel subject of its kind that has ever been shown in La Crosse. An appropriate offering for the Lenten season.

See It TONIGHT or THURSDAY

ANDRE'S ORCHESTRA AGAIN THIS WEEK

AT THE LYRIC

FOURTEEN STATES FOR WAGE REFORM

Wave of Investigation and Demand for Remedy Follows Chicago Probe

WILSON FAVORS MINIMUM WAGE

State Street Merchants Discuss Voluntary Action to Better Conditions

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 12.—Stacks of letters and telegrams containing messages from state executives, state legislators and men and women of prominence in social reform work all over the country confronted the Illinois senate white slave probers when they returned to the capitol today—evidence that the crusade of inquiry into the connection between low wages and the traffic in girls has become nationwide.

Fourteen States Respond

Governors of fourteen states, responding to letters sent out by Lieut. Governor O'Hara, either have promised co-operation in the white slave fight, or have taken immediate action in recommendations to their state legislatures. Legislators, unsolicited, have volunteered to do their utmost for the enactment of laws fixing a living wage for women.

From men close to President Wilson, the senators have learned that the new executive is in sympathy with the principle of a minimum wage law and that he will be glad to hear them tell what the Illinois investigation has brought to light regarding conditions in big establishments employing girls and women. It was expected that the probers would meet today to fix a time for the trip east at which the conference at the white house will be held.

The states, whose executives have indicated a willingness to co-operate with Illinois are: Wisconsin, Arizona, Colorado, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, New Mexica, New York, Ohio, Oregon, Utah and Virginia.

Merchants May Act

CHICAGO, March 12.—Big State street merchants and department store owners, whose payrolls were subjected to scrutiny by the Illinois white slave investigating committee, may take voluntary action, increasing the salaries of girl and women employes, with the intention of heading off the enactment of a minimum wage law for women.

Overtures have been made for a joint conference of representatives of the senate committee and the State street retail association. The employers believe that they may be able to come to some sort of an agreement with reference to a new wage scale that will be satisfactory to both sides.

SPECIAL ADDED ATTRACTION

TOMORROW, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

E. FLORENCE BEST

A Chautauqua entertainer of note (will appear in dramatic readings), and

ENRICO WAGNERI

The famous Baritone, who will render a number of his best selections. These celebrities have been engaged for three days. Their program and our usual program of pictures will be different each day. No advance in the price of admission.

ALL SEATS FIVE CENTS

LA CROSSE THEATRE (F. J. McWilliams)

SLIGHT LOSS IN CITY POLL LISTS

4,490 Registered Monday and Tuesday According to Unofficial Count

BUT FEW WOMEN REGISTERED

Two More Days to Register Before the Municipal Election on April 1

A total of 4,490 names were written onto the poll lists of the city Monday and Tuesday according to unofficial returns in the office of City Clerk E. H. Hoffman today. The size of the new register list is a great surprise to city officials who anticipated a heavy loss because of the requirements of the citizenship law which went into effect for the first time this year, making it necessary for foreign born residents to be in possession of their second papers to quality as a voter. The new registration shows a loss of about 25 per cent of the list which was destroyed under the new law.

Sign of Interest

In one of the closest fought elections in the city's history, that of September last, when the citizens voted on the question of high or low license, but 4,752 votes were cast. That the registration this year is nearly as large as that vote is taken to indicate that unusual interest in the coming municipal election has been aroused.

North side precincts showed the greatest losses by the new registration, the Twentieth ward recording less than 100 voters out of a possible 400. The Nineteenth ward, also one of the largest wards in the city, registered but 190.

The fact that primary election day, March 18, and also March 25, are registration days, encourages the city officials to believe that the final registration will be nearly as large as it was before the new law went into effect by the time of the municipal election day, April 1. Persons registering on primary election day will be compelled to swear in their votes.

But Few Women Register

Less than 300 women took advantage of the chance to register, in some wards only two or three appearing to inscribe their names on the lists.

Some of the registration officials tell with great glee of the self conscious attitude of some of the women when they qualified to vote, it being their first experience in this political formality.

The unofficial registration by wards is given in full as follows:

Ward Registration

First	222
Second	206
Third	244
Fourth	260
Fifth	176
Sixth	235
Seventh	209
Eighth	347
Ninth	190
Tenth	208
Eleventh	210
Twelfth	157
Thirteenth	185
Fourteenth	270
Fifteenth	198
Sixteenth	157
Seventeenth	250
Eighteenth	283
Nineteenth	190
Twentieth	93
Twenty-first	95
Total	4,490

BEGGER GETS THIRTY DAYS

F. W. Meyer, a tramp, was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail by Judge John Brindley yesterday for begging.

REPORT LA CROSSE BILL FOR PASSAGE

Delegation of La Crosse County Sportsmen Secure Favorable Action on Proposed Law

LAW WOULD REGULATE SEINING

Use of Nets to Be Prohibited in the Waters of La Crosse County

One of the strongest lobbies ever sent from this part of the state appeared before the legislative committee on state affairs in Madison yesterday when a delegation from the La Crosse Hunting and Fishing association presented arguments in favor of the bill prepared by the local association regulating seining and fishing on the Mississippi river. Shortly after the arguments were heard the committee reported the bill for passage. There were no arguments presented by the opposition.

The bill was presented by Senator Otto Bosshard of La Crosse, who appeared in person to urge its merits. He was ably assisted in his arguments by former Assemblyman John E. McConnell of La Crosse, Dr. A. T. Rasmussen, president of the La Crosse county association; Prof. John P. Bird, president of the state hunting and fishing organization; Senator Glenn of Wyalusing, Crawford county, and R. B. Graves of Sparta.

The bill before the committee was the same in intent and purpose as that presented to the legislature by the La Crosse club at the special session last summer but which was waylaid because of the early adjournment of that sesson. Among other provisions of the bill is a clause prohibiting seining in the waters of La Crosse county and one regulating the size of the mesh of seines and nets used on the Mississippi river.

The local sportsmen profess great hopes that the bill will become a law at this session of the legislature.

MANNINGER ESTATE IS WORTH $10,500

An estate valued at $10,500 will be divided among the heirs of Sebastian Manninger according to the terms of the will which was filed in the office of Registrar of Probate John Costley today. The estate will be divided among Mrs. Katherine Hettinger, of Tomah, a daughter; Mrs. Amelia Kaiser, La Crosse, daughter; Anna B. Manninger and Ida A. Manninger, of La Crosse, daughter, and Charles Manninger of this city, a son. Nick Kaiser and Ida Manninger are appointed co-executors of the estate.

GROMANN FUNERAL

The funeral of Adolph Gromann, was held this morning at 8:30 from the home, 1515 South Thirteenth street, and at 9 o'clock from the Holy Trinity church, Rev. Riesterer officiated. The pall bearers were members of the Third Ward Aid society.

SETTLE GARMENT STRIKE.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Following the refusal of the 20,000 garment workers to accept the terms of the compromise secured on February 28 by the officials of the United Garment Workers of North America, another agreement has been reached and accepted by both sides and all of the man still on strike returned to work today. The new agreement provides for a fifty-three hour week for tailors, fifty-hour week for cutters, and a substantial increase in pay.

EXTRA SESSION TO TAKE UP TARIFF

Call for Special Term to Be Issued by Wilson Within a Few Days

TO TOUCH ON BANK REFORM

Will Recommend that Banking Committees Be Organized to Prepare Bills

WASHINGTON, March 12.—President Wilson will issue his call for the extraordinary session of congress within a few days, Majority Leader Underwood of the house stated today, after a conference at the white house.

Wilson's message, Underwood said he believed would touch lightly on banking and currency legislation, and recommend that the extra session be confined to tariff revision. The majority leader declared that the president will probably recommend that the senate and house banking committees be organized during the special session to prepare currency bills for submission to congress next December.

Underwood reported to the president the readiness of the house ways and means committee to go ahead with tariff legislation immediately upon convening of the extra session early in April. Wilson had promised to defer calling the special session until Underwood's tariff framing committee was ready.

The Jones Philippine independence bill will be brought before congress at the special session, and if possible, passed. Representative Jones of Virginia declared today.

President Wilson is in hearty accord with that paragraph in the democratic platform which declares for freedom of the Filipinos, Jones said and asserted that he would sign the bill.

FEDERALS DRIVE REBELS FROM CITY

DOUGLAS, Ariz., March 12.—No further advices were received from Parral, where 1,500 Maderista troops were defeated by Mexican federals after a fifty-hour battle, according to dispatches received late last night.

Details of the engagement are meager, but it is known the federals shelled the town for two days, inflicting heavy damage to property.

A telegram from Nogales, Arizona, today declared that 1,000 Maderistas, with several machine guns, are marching against Nogales, Mexico, just across the border.

ATTENTION!

Hamilton Lodge No. 57, Knights Pythias, will meet at the North side Castle hall at 2 o'clock p. m. Friday afternoon, to attend the funeral of Sir Knight Marvin. All are requested to attend.

JOHN ARNTSON,
Chancellor Commander.

SUFFRAGETTES TRY TO BURN MUSEUM

LONDON, March 12.—Despite strenuous efforts of the authorities to suppress the incident, confirmation was obtained today that on Monday a supposed suffragette attempt was made to burn the British museum. A woman was alone for a brief space in one of the rooms and when a watchman saw her leave in haste, he became suspicious and investigated. He found a quantity of smouldering oil-soaked rags in a corner of the room.

KEEP UP POLICE PROBE.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The police defense of charges of negligence of duty on the day of the suffrage parade was postponed temporarily by the senate investigating committee today to permit of taking of additional testimony showing disorders along the parade route.

MOTHER AND SIX HURT.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., March 12. — Mrs. Emma Noutf, aged 29, and her six children, ranging in ages from two months to ten years, were burned probably fatally by a gas explosion in their home in Filbert, near here, early today.

WILSON WARNS THE LATIN-AMERICANS

New President Says He Will Support Only Governments Founded on Law and Order

WASHINGTON, March 12.—In his first official statement last night, President Wilson has served notice upon Mexico and other Latin-American republics that his administration proposes to support only those governments which are based on law, and not upon arbitrary or irregular force.

He said further, as if he had in mind the overthrow of President Madero by Gen. Huerta, that the United States can have no sympathy with those who seek to seize the power of government to advance their own personal interests or ambitions.

Gen. Huerta was not the only figure present on the mind of Mr. Wilson when he wrote his statement. He is aware that Gen. Cipriano Castro is seeking to regain the presidency of Venezuela, and that Gen. Zelaya has the same purpose in mind in connection with Nicaragua.

The bravest man on earth is Jude Johnson before war is declared.

CUT GLASS

The beauty of cut glass depends upon its brilliancy — that depends upon the design, depth of cuttings and the quality of the glass.

The glass we sell is the best made—clean cut, sparkling, exquisite in design and moderate in price.

E. W. Parker
JEWELER
MAJESTIC BLDG.
LA CROSSE, WIS.

INVESTIGATE ROADS' MARINE INTERESTS

Commerce Commission Demands Statement Showing Relations of Railways and Steamships

WASHINGTON, March 12. — A sweeping investigation of the steamship interests of every railroad in the United States, was initiated by the interstate commerce commission today. An order was issued calling upon the roads to submit by April 15, statements showing their relations with steamship companies, foreign, domestic or coastwise. The order was made mandatory by a recent act of congress which provided that railroads cannot, except in the discretion of the commission, hold either in part or in whole any interest in competing water lines.

GRAND HOTEL MAN DIES AT MENDOTA

Charles Ivens, proprietor of the Grand hotel, died in the Mendota asylum last night after an illness which began shortly before last Christmas. Word of his death was received late last night by E. R. Van Dorn of this city, who had charge of Mr. Ivens' affairs for a time after he was taken to the asylum.

Shortly before Mr. Ivens was taken ill he is said to have slipped and fell while stepping into a bath tub. He struck his head on the edge of the iron tub and received injuries which indirectly led to his death. About two weeks after the accident he became insane and was taken to Mendota.

Mrs. Fackley, a sister living in Platteville, and Mrs. H. W. Dean, a daughter living in Waterloo, Iowa, were notified of Mr. Ivens' death by Mr. Van Dorn as soon as he received the telegram. Arrangements for the funeral have not as yet been completed.

BRYAN HARD ON NEWSPAPER MEN

WASHINGTON, March 12.—While Secretary Bryan began making good his statement that the state department henceforward would house "the most unfortunate newspapermen in the world," so far as news went, it became known that a "quiet investigation is afoot to find out who was the zealous underling who prepared the famous message of commendation sent to Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson at Mexico City. The accepted belief is now that Bryan signed his name to a batch of supposedly routine state department documents, and in the hurry unwittingly approved the message of commendation. Bryan is absolutely silent on the question.

All that is under investigation is the breach of departmental routine. The man who prepared the message is not charged with any attempt to "put one over" and the mixup was merely the slipping of a cog in routine.

DAVIES REFUSES POST

DENIES THAT HE WILL ACCEPT DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENT —VISITS WILSON TODAY

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Joseph E. Davies of Wisconsin, who managed the Wilson campaign in the west, called on the president today. He denied, for what he said was "the last time," that he would accept a diplomatic post.

"It is a difficult position to be in, to have something offered that you don't want," said Davies.

He insisted his visit did not concern politics.

PIPE LINES NOT COMMON CARRIERS

WASHINGTON, March 12 — The commerce court today held that congress had no power to make all pipe lines common carriers, and that the amendment to the interstate commerce law to this end was invalid. Preliminary injunctions restraining the interstate commerce commission's orders regulating pipe lines were issued by the court.

Don't make the mistake of ducks, and imagine the first sign of spring is spring.

PASTORS MOURN MARVIN'S DEATH

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not be so lawless and full of vice.

"D. C. DEWEY.
"Supt. City Mission."

A Noble Life

"Words are inadequate to convey the deep feeling of regret and sense of loss which came upon my mind and heart when I learned of the death of George B. Marvin, Jr. I shall miss him as a neighbor and friend, as a Christian man and as a citizen who did much for the welfare of his community and city, and who lived and labored according to his sincere convictions. Mr. Marvin's life and death remind me of Jas. A. Garfield's words, 'A noble life, crowned with heroic death, rises above and outlives the pomp and pride and glory of the mightiest empires of the earth.'

"FINCH A. CLARKE,
"Pastor North Presbyterian church"

Unselfish in Work

"I have known Mr. Marvin quite intimately for about four years. I am fully convinced that he was conscientious and unselfish in his work in this city. More than once he told me that as a Christian he felt that there was no other course open for him. Errors of judgment he doubtless committed at times, but in the main he was true to the best judgment and conscience of an enlightened and unselfish Christian. Judged by what he stood for and what he desired to be done, he was one of the very best and most useful men in this city. Had we fifty like men in La Crosse our fair city would not be in its present moral and financial condition. When the history of this city in its struggles against greed and vice comes to be written, the name of George B. Marvin will be written high on the roll of honor.

"What has at times surprised me, and pleased me greatly was to find so many people in the community who down deep in their hearts thoroughly commended Mr. Marvin's stand and activities. And some day these people are going to be heard from in La Crosse. 'The memory of the righteous is blessed but the name of the wicked shall rot.'

"D. C. JONES,
"Pastor First Presbyterian church."

True to Convictions

"Mr. Marvin was a reformer. Like all reformers he saw clearly what needed to be done. Like most reformers he did not always find the practical methods for bringing about reforms. But he always made himself felt because of his convictions. He was true to his convictions and ready to sacrifice for them.

"It is safe to say that he stood higher in the estimation of the Almighty than in the estimation of some men; and it is absolutely certain that the city of La Crosse would be a cleaner, safer, purer and more righteous city if Mr. Marvin's ideals obtained in its civic life.

"HENRY FAVILLE."

Has Thanks of Mothers

"I have known Mr. Marvin intimately for fifteen years. We have conferred together many times on the moral welfare of our city. He always stood for the best things. Last summer when on a northbound Burlington train I overheard two women, wives of railroad men, in the seat behind me discussing the efforts being made at the time to close a north side saloon. One of them exclaimed, 'they can say what they please about him, but we women, who are mothers and have children growing up in La Crosse, can be mighty thankful that there is such a man as George Marvin.' This woman voiced the sentiment felt in hundreds of parents' hearts in La Crosse, and it is one of the highest tributes that could possibly be paid to one of our citizens. There may be those who feel that Mr. Marvin might have had a more pleasant and prosperous life had he always 'minded his own business,' but it is certain that he is happier now, and that we who knew him are prouder of his record, because he chose to sacrifice personal comfort and stand courageously for right, righteousness, and the social good. La Crosse is richer because of his work and his memory, but infinitely poorer because of his departure, so untimely, so sudden and so sad.

"B. S. STEADWELL."

TAKES CHARGE OF SINGING

Music at the "spiritual awakening" services at the First Presbyterian church the balance of the week will be in charge of Mrs. G. A. McMichals, evangelistic singer. Meetings will be held tonight, Thursday and Friday at 7:30 p. m.

MUNSEY SPRINGS COMBINATION PLAN

Puts Forth New Scheme for Uniting of Bull Moose and Republican Parties

NEW YORK, March 12.—In no way discouraged because his two previous appeals for the amalgamation of the republican and progressive parties were unsuccessful, Mr. Frank A. Munsey, newspaper owner, today made a third appeal for the two parties to meet on neutral ground and form an entirely new party. He pointed out that the republicans have plenty of money and many mediums of publicity through newspapers which the progressives do not have.

"To get down to actualities," he said, "suppose forty per cent or more of the republican voters of the country were to pledge themselves in a signed agreement to send delegates to a national conference, with a view to getting together on principles and to forming a new party, something would be doing, real action begun. Politicians may say this is not practical and the do-nothings generally oppose it. But it is clear that such a move, carried out in good faith, would pull off a victory."

FRANK PHILLIPS DIES AT HIS HOME

Frank Phillips, 713 Rose street, conductor of the Milwaukee railroad, died at his home Monday, March 10, after a three weeks' illness. Death was caused by Bright's disease.

Mr. Phillips was born in Chicago, in 1882. He is survived by a mother, three sisters and two brothers. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 from the Masonic temple, the Masons officiating.

GOODIE FUNERAL TO BE HELD FRIDAY

The funeral of Richard Goodie, who was killed yesterday on the Milwaukee railroad, will be held Friday afternoon at Manning.

Mr. Goodie has resided on a small farm south of Dakota for the past three years. His former residence was near Kickapoo. He is survived by one daughter, May, age twelve, and two sons, Joseph, age ten, and Frank, age seven.

A full account of the accident is found on another page.

CARD OF THANKS.

After an illness of three weeks, Mrs. A. L. Snow is able to be out and to the members of the following churches she sincerely thanks for their kindness during her illness: The Methodist, Baptist, Congregational, German Reformed, St. Mary's and St. John's Catholic.

MAY CALL MORGAN

CHICAGO, March 12.—J. Pierpont Morgan may be served with a subpoena to testify in the government's $10,000,000 Alaska coal land frauds case when he steps down the gang plank on his return to New York, it developed today. Morgan if he is called to testify in the trial here before Federal Judge Landis, will be asked to tell of his connection with the Guggenheim interests in obtaining possession of valuable mineral lands in Alaska.

POPE MUCH BETTER.

ROME, March 12.—Pope Pius was almost his normal self today, according to the statement of the vatican physicians, who said that the fever from which his holiness had suffered had entirely disappeared. It was assured that the pope could resume his audiences before the end of the week. The Misses Sarto, who live a square from the vatican and Angelo Sarto, the rural mail carrier, sisters and brother of the pope, were with him today.

Instant Relief from Eczema

You can stop that awful itch from eczema and other skin troubles in two seconds.

Seems too good to be true—but it is true, and we vouch for it.

Just a few drops of the simple, cooling wash, the D.D.D. Prescription for eczema, and the itch stops instantly. We give you enough to prove it for 50 cents.

Now, if you have tried a great many cures for eczema and have been disappointed, do not make the mistake of refusing to try this soothing wash. All other druggists keep this D.D.D. Prescription—go to them if you can't come to us—but if you come to our store we will give you the first dollar bottle on our positive no pay guarantee, that D.D.D. will stop the itch at once.

D.D.D. Soap keeps the pores healthy; ask us about it.

Columbian Drug Store.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

Just a little care and small expense, that's all. Isn't a head of rich, heavy hair worth while?

Ask Your Doctor.

J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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K C Baking Powder is guaranteed absolutely pure and wholesome. There is no Rochelle salts, no harmful residue left in the food that is leavened with K C.



Even the most delicate can eat hot breads raised with K C without distress. Try K C Baking Powder breads if yeast-raised bread does not agree with you.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

State of Wisconsin, La Crosse County, ss.—In Circuit Court.

By virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale duly rendered by the above named court, on the 27th day of January, A. D. 1912, and duly filed on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1912, in an action in which The State Bank of La Crosse, a Banking Corporation, was plaintiff, and Thomas E. Wooley, Carl Hanson, Anna Wooley and Anne Hanson, were defendants.

I, John A. Weber, Sheriff of La Crosse County, Wisconsin, will expose and offer at public sale and sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1913, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the East Front Door of the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, County of La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, the following described mortgaged premises which are situated in the said County of La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, to-wit:

FIRST. A part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Three, in Township No. Fifteen, of Range No. Seven west, bounded and particularly designated by commencing at the northeast corner of the Southwest quarter of the said Southwest quarter of said section and running north along the eighth line three chains, thence eastwardly by a direct line three chains to a point in the east and west eighth line between the Northeast quarter of said Southwest and the Southeast quarter of said Southwest quarter, which point is ten chains east from the aforesaid Northeast corner of said Southwest quarter of said Southwest quarter, and thence west along the said eighth line ten chains to the place of beginning.

Also that part of the Southeast quarter of the aforesaid Southwest quarter of Section Three, bounded and particularly designated by commencing at the aforesaid Northeast corner of said Southwest quarter of Southwest quarter and running east along the aforesaid eighth line eight chains, thence running south ten degrees west two chains, thence running south sixty-four and one-half degrees west three chains, and thence north, fifty-eight degrees west, five and ninety-six hundredths chains to place of beginning. The first of said described tracts containing one and one-half acres, and the second two acres, more or less. The same being high bluff and stone quarry property.

With and including the right to throw or carry and waste the debris, stone, earth and other material resulting from carrying on the quarrying business, down the hill side along the southerly lines and sides of the above described premises on to the remaining parts of the said Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter and other lands owned by Peter Bechen. With the further right to construct and maintain and travel upon such roadways upon and across the said Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter and Southwest quarter of Southwest quarter leading from the lands and premises above conveyed to the public highway or commonly traveled road as it is now located at or near the Southwest corner of the aforesaid Section Three.

Also with the right to build, construct and maintain spouts and bins and such other structures and apparatus as shall be necessary, and as they shall see fit for the use of said mortgagors, their heirs or assigns in transmitting and carrying stone, crushed, broken, or in such shapes as they shall prefer, from said lands above conveyed, down the said hill side, such bins for holding the said stone to be put up and located at some convenient point or points near the westerly line of said Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter and at a distance not greater than seven chains southwardly from the Northwest corner of said Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter. And also with the right and privilege to construct, maintain and travel upon such roadways as they shall see fit upon the lands of said Peter Bechen, to and from such bins and the aforesaid public highway, for the purpose of transporting stone and other material, and for any purpose required. With the right in common of Peter Bechen and his wife, grantors to said Thomas E. Wooley and Carl Hanson, their heirs and assigns, to travel upon and use without charge or expense such roadways as such mortgagors, their heirs or assigns shall construct across and upon the said lands of said Peter Bechen. Also with the right to remove, take down, and carry away at any time, any spouts, bins, or other structures, which they may place upon any of the premises hereinbefore mentioned, in the carrying on of their quarrying business. Also with and including all fixtures, engines, boilers, stone crushers, and all tools and machinery used and employed therewith in operating the stone quarry upon said premises, and all spouts, slides, chutes and structures whatsoever upon any part of said premises constructed by said mortgagors, Thomas E. Wooley and Carl Hanson, and used in operating their stone quarrying, crushing and furnishing business upon the premises aforesaid. All of the foregoing premises and property standing in the name of the said Thomas E. Wooley and Carl Hanson.

The property above described being that mentioned in the first description of the mortgage recorded in Vol. 63 of Mortgages, page 172, in the office of the Register of Deeds of La Crosse County, together with the rights and easments therein mortgaged and conveyed.

SECOND. The Northeast quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section No. Twenty-one, Township No. Sixteen, north, of Range No. Seven west.

THIRD. The North One-half of Lot No. Two, in Block No. Two, of the Addition to the City of La Crosse, known as Belmont Place, according to the plat of such Belmont Place of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of La Crosse County.

FOURTH. The South One-half of Lot No. One, of the Addition to the City of La Crosse, known as Belmont Place, according to the plat of such Belmont Place of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of La Crosse County. The last described tract being the homestead of the defendant, Thomas E. Wooley.

Together with the buildings, hereditaments and the appurtances thereunto belonging.

Dated this 18th day of February A. D., 1913.

JOHN A. WEBER, Sheriff.
Frank Winter, Plaintiff's attorney.

BUSINESS MEN ENTER POLITICS

M'GREGOR, Iowa. March 12.—The McGregor Business Men's association at a called meeting last night took action in municipal politics by passing a resolution to the effect that the city election to be held the last of this month shall be strictly non-partisan and the men chosen for office the best that can be obtained from a practical business standpoint. A committee consisting of F. G. Bell, M. X. Geske and L. Jennings was appointed to call a caucus and prepare a slate which will have the endorsement of the association.

POSTPONE SCIENCE MEETING

On account of the series of meetings at the city hall of the Child Welfare Exhibit, the monthly meeting of the La Crosse Science club which was scheduled for Friday has been postponed until next week, the exact day to be announced later. Prof. B. E. McCormick, Prof. Layton Gouldin instructor of chemistry in the high school and Miss Sonia Ladoff of the department of biology of the normal will be the speakers for the next session of the Science club.

GERMAN EDITOR DIES

MILWAUKEE, March 12.—Members of the family announced today that the funeral of Herman Demling, Sr., editor of the Weekly Germania, since 1899, would be held Friday. Demling died sudenly Tuesday.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE FOR GOODS IN STORAGE.

To Maud Howarth:

Notice is hereby given that the Gateway City Transfer Company will offer for sale and sell, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at No. 214 Vine Street, in the City of La Crosse, Wis., at 9 o'clock A. M. on the 4th day of April, 1913, the following goods and chattels, left with the said Gateway City Transfer Company, by said Maud Howarth, and stored by said Gateway City Transfer Company for said Maud Howarth, to satisfy the sum of $15.50, which is now due the said Gateway City Transfer Company from said Maud Howarth for storage on same, and which sum has remained unpaid for over three months, to-wit:

One dresser, one crate of pictures, one clock, one table, one rocker, two tables, and pictures, one table, and one marble crate.

Gateway City Transfer Company.
By M. P. Murphy



GLASGOW 2½ in. BELMONT 2¾ in. MEDORA 2¾ in.

ARROW COLLARS

Notch Collars that Meet Close in Front
15c., 2 for 25c. Cluett, Peabody & Co.

JEALOUS SPOUSE KILLS HUSBAND

Wounds Schoolmate Friend of Man When She Finds the Two Together

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 12.—"My God, what a pity he should die and the woman live," were the only coherent words uttered today by Mrs. Augustus Schieber, who last night shot and killed her husband and wounded Mrs. L. A. Howell, in whose company she found Schieber.

Mrs. Howell was wounded in the right arm below the elbow, and the injury was not serious. The shooting, according to friends, was the result of long standing ill-feeling between the two women.

Mrs. Howell said today: "Mr. Schieber and I knew each other as school children at Mount Vernon. I often called at their home and went automobile riding with the whole family."

Schieber was wealthy and prominent here socially.

INVESTIGATE DEATH OF REAR ADMIRAL

ROCKLAND, Mass., March 12.—That Rear Admiral Joseph Eaton, who died at his home in West Norwell last Saturday, may not have died a natural death, is believed today because of the state police investigation into the admiral's death.

Inspector John Scott, of Braintree and Deputy Sheriff John T. Condon of Rockland, who started work on the case following an autopsy by the medical examiner, Osgood, today refused to reveal the result of their investigation. Several years ago Mrs. Eaton charged that her husband had poisoned their infant boy. An autopsy proved the child had not been poisoned.

LA CRESCENT VOTE AGAINST LICENSES

By a vote of two to one, the village of La Crescent yesterday voted against granting saloon licenses. The "progressive" ticket defeated the "People's" slate, and the following officers were elected: President, W. M. Selby; trustees, Ed Hurley, A. Lilley, C. B. Oldenburg; recorder, Charles Cook; treasurer, A. W. McCaffrey; assessor, H. W. Smith; justices, J. C. Raymond, L. Whitehouse; constables, Dan Luther, Elmer Brenner.

SPECIAL CABINET MEETING

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Calling of a special cabinet meeting today to discuss routine business of administration side-tracked at regular sessions in order that the president's Latin-American policy might be formulated, made the executive "speed up" his work today. He spent his customary early morning period at his desk, hurrying through the mail and routine work, and then crowded into an hour a dozen or more engagements, with visitors.

Here's the Man

That Cures Sick Headache, Sour, Bloated Stomach, Inactive Kidneys, Rheumatism and that Dreary, Languid, Despondent Feeling and Furnishes You the Greatest Spring Remedy Known.

SENDS A TRIAL FREE



Dr. W. S. Burkhart, As He Is Today. Owes His Robust Health and Gain of 90 Pounds to Taking His Own Medicine, As Needed, for the Past 25 Years.

It won't take thirty days, but he will give you thirty days to prove that Dr. Burkhart's Vegetable Compound will cure you for only 25 cents. Just think of Dr. Burkhart having carried out this policy for twenty-five years! Do you wonder that twelve million of his treatments are used every year?

Imagine if you can, the wonderful relief to such a host of people, who learned through the doctor's generosity that his Vegetable Compound does all he claims; and if you are not cured or satisfied, you can get your 25 cents back by merely asking for it. Banks or business firms in Cincinnati will tell you his word is good. Get the treatment today from your druggist or he will send prepaid on receipt of price. Be sure to ask for and see that you get Dr. Burkhart's Vegetable Compound.

To prove its merits conclusively, a trial treatment will be sent free. Address Dr. W. S. Burkhart, Cherry Hill Square, Station R, Cincinnati, Ohio.

New Spring SUITS $12.50 to $35

SCOTT-ROSE CO.

New Spring COATS $7.50 to $35

THE STORE THAT SELLS WOOLTEX

EASTER SALE

UNDERMUSLINS and WAISTS

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

(MAIN FLOOR)

A sale of fine Muslin Underwear that means big savings to you. Every garment in this sale is perfectly made, only best materials are used and they are trimmed with finest laces and embroideries. Corset Covers, Drawers, Skirts, Gowns, Princess Slips and Combinations. Note the reductions:

VALUES UP TO	35c, only	75c, only	$1.00, only	$1.50, only	$2.00, only	$2.50 only
SALE PRICE	19c,	39c,	69c,	98c,	$1.39,	$1.69

LADIES' WAISTS

(SECOND FLOOR)

The Ladies' Waist sale on second floor will present rare values in fine Lingerie Waists, Tailored Waists, Tub Silk Waists and fancy Silk Waists, every one a bargain.

VALUES UP TO	$1.00, only	$1.50, only	$2.00, only	$2.50, only	$4.00 only
SALE PRICE	59c,	98c,	$1.29,	$1.69,	$2.59

Dress Skirts
(SECOND FLOOR)
Ladies' Dress Skirts, made of fine wool serges, panamas and fancy mixtures. New Spring styles. Special each ... $4.50

Long Cloth
15c fine quality of English Long Cloth, per yard 12½c

Sheeting
8-4 Bleached Dwight Anchor Sheeting, worth 32c, only yard 28c
9-4 Bleached Dwight Anchor Sheeting, worth 34c, only yard 30c

Corsets 39c
Here are real bargains in good Corsets, a number of discontinued styles on sale Thursday at each 39c

Tubing
45 inch Dwight Anchor Tubing and Casing, worth 25c, only yard 19c

Cambric
Remnants of 36 inch fine Bleached Cambric, worth 12½c yard, only yard . 8½c

Ginghams
32 inch fine Zephyr Ginghams, checks and stripes, 18c values, only yard 15c

FEDERAL EMPLOYE DIES IN FARGO

FARGO, N. D., March 12.—Ralph McKenzie, employe of the federal department of justice here on a secret mission, died at St. John's hospital here last night, the victim of what physicians call the "sleeping sickness." For more than a week McKenzie slept almost continuously and during the last three days he could not be aroused.

MILLION DOLLAR HOTEL FOR GIRLS

CHICAGO, March 12.—A million dollar hotel for working girls and women employed in down-town stores is the aim of a movement started today by the Chicago chapter, D. A. R. Circular letters are being sent aut to prominent business men asking their support. Three donations of $50,000 each have been made.

FOUR ASPHYXIATED

CALGARY, Alberta, March 12.—Four gas operators, employes of the Western Canada Natural Gas company of this city, were asphyxiated in the Nanton plant of the company near here today. The men were repairing a leak in one of the pipes when an explosion occurred, partly demolishing the structure and injuring the four men so that they were unable to escape from the gas fumes.

"This Indenture."

The phrase "this indenture," which appears so often in legal papers, is of curious origin. In the early days parchment was used for legal documents because it was cheaper than paper. The leaves were not cut evenly, but scalloped with a knife, becoming "indented." Papers are now cut on straight lines, but "this indenture" still remains.

NOTICE

The undersigned Road and Bridge committee of the County Board of Supervisors of La Crosse County of Wisconsin will receive bids at the office of the County Clerk of La Crosse County March 19, 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m. for furnishing the following road machinery: One tractor engine, one rock crusher and bin, one sprinkling tank and wagon and 6 wheel scrapers. Call or write for the specifications of the above machinery at the office of the cou
The committee reserves th
reject any and all bids.

(Signed)
WILLIAM WOLF,
H. A. JACOBS,
J. C. MOORE,
JOHN HATZ,
GEORGE HODGE,
OSCAR H. HULBERG,
W. D. STRATMAN,
BERT A. JOLIVETTE,
County Clerk.

RUSHFORD MINN

At the Presbyterian Sunday school yesterday it was voted to send a delegate to the convention held the latter part of this month at Duluth. Mrs Warren Coxe was appointed as a representative from the Rushford Sunday school with Harold Albrandt as substitute if it was found impossible for her to attend.

Word comes from Lusk, Wyo., that a little daughter came to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. May St. John. Mrs. St. John was formerly Miss Mary Main of La Crosse.

Mrs. Hugh Lampman is still confined to her bed with a severe attack of grip and eczema.

Miss Lily Berg, who teaches in the Hungerholt district, is home on a two weeks' vacation, due to illness in the district which with bad roads, has considerably reduced the number of pupils in the school.

Mrs. Pierce is recovering from an attack of the grip.

Orly Streetor of Illinois is here to aid in caring for his father, L. L. Streetor, who is very ill at his home in this city.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the Rushford Presbyterian church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Roberton Saturday afternoon and a most enjoyable and instructive meeting held. Mrs. Warren Coxe had charge of the home mission work, while Mrs. John Bantly took the foreign mission topic. Sicilian home life in our large cities was dwelt upon at some length by the home topic which the foreign topic dealt with the life and work of that valiant explorer, David Livingston. Mrs. James Roberton and Mrs. Bantly were voted delegates to attend the convention to be held in Austin in April. A delicious lunch was served at the close of the business meeting.

R. Otis, who resides on the Hanson farm near Rushford, is very ill with measles and although the attending physician believes there is no great danger, yet it will be a good while before he will be able to attend to his work. His mother, Mrs. David Otis, is helping care for him.

The apron sale held Saturday by the Ladies' Aid society of the Lutheran church, was a decided success socially and financially. The sale was held at D. J. Shirven's store, where coffee and cake was served.

Prof. Craig and Warren Coxe of our city schools attended the teachers' convention held last week at Red Wing, Mr. Coxe returning Saturday night and Prof. Craig going on to Minneapolis to visit his father, who is staying there with relatives for a time.

Lack of building material has suspended operations at the Presbyterian church basement for a time but it is hoped to resume work this week.

Rev. Bantly has so far recovered from his rement severe attack of the grip as to be able to resume the usual services at the church, morning and evening.

Conrad Eggan of the firm of Eggan and Son, and P. Miller of the Rushford Wagon company, have recently been over to Preston, where a county implement dealers' association was effected.

Ole Hoiseth, Pacob Johns, John Anderson and Andrew Grinager, all hold auctions on their farms upon the following dates, respectively, March 8, March 13, March 12 and March 18.

Benjamin, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. August Leitzan of Wilson died at the Winona hospital last week, having been ill some months. He leaves a very wide circle of friends, having been a young man of pleasing personality and good habits. Funeral services were held at the Lutheran church at Wilson and interment made in the Wilson cemetery.

City caucus will be held in Rushford tonight for the purpose of nominating the following officials for the coming year: One mayor, five councilors, one city treasurer, one city clerk, one justice and one city constable.

Among those who aspire to the position of postmaster of Houston we notice the names of J. E. Parish of this city and George Onstine, lately of Yucatan, now of Houston.

Mr. Nichols, proprietor of the Elite theater, promises for next Thursday evening a new attraction, namely: The eleven year old twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frankson, who will appear upon the program with both vocal and instrumental music. One of the best programs ever shown in this city was given last Tuesday evening, when there were shown the films of the Scott arctic exploring party, in addition to other good pictures. Mr. Nicholas informs us that as soon as the weather makes it possible he intends to remodel the Elite, putting in an inclined floor and in other ways making it an ideal place in which to spend an hour of good clean fun as no pictures are allowed which are in any way suggestive or immoral.

Under the able direction of Rev. N. S. Maglesson, the Bratsberg Viking band made good upon their recent trip into Illinois, at the towns of Lee and Shabona. They were most royally entertained and although inclement weather kept away many from their two concerts, yet the first evening's receipts were $106.50. The band is a very live factor in the social life of the neighboring village of Bratsberg and has gained for themselves a name and reputation of which they may justly be proud.

A real estate transfer of last week has made Mr. E. Vigard, the owner of the residence property formerly owned by Mr. John Akre. Mr. Akre will build a residence upon the lots recently purchased by him from J. Webster in Brooklyn.

To Improve Expression as Well as Complexion

(From Beauty's Mirror.)

No face is really beautiful that lacks expression. Do you realize that continual use of powders and creams tends to spoil pliancy of skin and elasticity of expression? Why not quit cosmetics and use something better, which won't clog the pores or make the skin either dry or pasty? Ordinary mercolized wax acts quite differently from any cosmetic. It wonderfully improves any complexion, giving it life and expression. By gradually, harmless peeling off the thin veil of outer surface skin, it brings to view a pure, soft, spotless complexion, delicately beautiful and youthful. Every druggist has this wax; it is seldom more than one ounce is needed. It is spread on nightly like cold cream and washed off mornings. In a week or two the transformation is complete.

Wrinkles do not of course enhance the expression. Neither do the pasty things many use to eradicate them. A treatment free from all objection is made by dissolving 1 oz. powdered saxolite in ½-pt. witch hazel; use as a wash lotion. This soon removes even the most obstinate wrinkles.

ONE DOSE WILL MAKE YOU FORGET

That You Ever Had Stomach Trouble or Gall Stones.



MAYR'S WONDERFUL STOMACH REMEDY for all Stomach, Liver and Intestinal Trouble, Gastritis, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Pressure of Gas around the Heart, Sour Stomach, Distress After Eating, Nervousness, Dizziness, Fainting Spells, Sick Headaches, Constipation, Congested and Torpid Liver, Yellow Jaundice, Appendicitis and Gall Stones.

The above ailments are mainly caused by the clogging of the intestinal tract with mucoid and catarrhal accretions, backing up poisonous fluids into the stomach, and otherwise deranging the digestive system.

Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy is the Best and most widely known Remedy for these ailments and should quickly relieve and cure the most chronic cases. Put it to a test. One dose will prove its great curative powers. It acts like magic in the most chronic case of Stomach, Liver and Intestinal ailments, Appendicitis and symptoms of Gall Stones. Thousands of sufferers are highly praising the remedy and are recommending it to others for restoring them to perfect health.

Do not permit a dangerous operation for these ailments until you have at least tried one dose of this great Remedy. Guaranteed by me to be absolutely harmless, containing no injurious drugs, under the Pure Food & Drug Act, Serial No. 25793.

GEO. H. MAYR, Mfg. Chemist,
154-156 Whiting St., Chicago, Ill.

For sale in La Crosse by Hoeschler Bros., 502 Main street and 123 South Fourth street, and druggists everywhere.

"Hello! Are you an ad?" "No—I'm a teacher!"



"I'm teaching millions daily that

WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT

improves digestions by making up for food that isn't chewed enough. I'm teaching how it preserves and brightens teeth by the friction and refreshing mint leaf juice.

"I'm teaching how it sharpens appetite by helping digest anything eaten before. I'm teaching smokers to refresh their mouths—to purify their breaths—before kissing their little ones at night. I'm teaching people to 'Look for the spear' so they will get the genuine.

"Millions have learned these benefits. Millions more are learning fast. They even

BUY IT BY THE BOX

It costs less—of any dealer—and stays fresh until used."

Look for the spear Avoid imitations



B. D'Emo, Adv., Chicago

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Hurlbut and family, who have been living in Chicago the past six months, are expected in Prairie du Chien this week to spend the summer and perhaps remain permanently.

Dr. R. M. White made a professional trip to Waukon, Iowa Saturday.

The Misses Dorothy Baker, Ruth McCloskey, Florence Speck, Margaret Bennetts, Beulah Peacock and a few others have formed a sewing club to meet Saturday afternoons.

Mrs. L. D. Dousman is spending a few days in La Crosse.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sheckler are in the city visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Sheckler was formerly time keeper at the Iroquois Button factory.

Dr. W. T. Pinkerton and daughter, Miss Agnes, are spending a couple of days with relatives in Richland Center.

The Twentieth Century club meets Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. G. Kieser. The program will be given by Mrs. Kieser and Mrs. R. W. Fallis.

Ex-Sheriff A. N. Scoville leaves in a day or two for Montana with two carloads of horses from Crawford county, which he will dispose of to ranchers and homesteaders.

J. E. Harris has sold his residence on Michigan street to George Schoffer of the town of Prairie du Chien. Mr. Schoffer will move his family into town some time during the spring.

Dr. James M. Ferrebee of Richland Center was a Prairie du Chien visitor over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Paris, who are spending the winter in California, are now at Riverside, the home of Mrs. Paris' father.

Superintendent N. Gunderson made a trip to Arena Saturday to attend a meeting of the high school principals of the Wisconsin Valley Oratorical league. The league contest will be held in Richland Center on April 25th.

George Copas of Bell Center transacted business in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Garrow will move into the Bieloh residence on Michigan street for the summer. The house now occupied by the Garrow family will be remodeled by its owner, Mayor F. H. Poehler, for a family home.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Pinkerton have purchased from Mrs. E. I. Kidd the vacant lot lying between the Kidd residence and the home of Dr. W. A. Hall, on Minnesota street, and will build a home there.

The high school basketball team, accompanied by Superintendent Gunderson, will go to Platteville Thursday afternoon to take part in the annual tournament of the Platteville district.

HAIR STOPS FALLING, DANDRUFF DISAPPEARS—25 CENT "DANDERINE"

Save your Hair! Beautify it! Invigorate your scalp! Danderine grows hair and we can prove it.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or a loose or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you will actually see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine now will immediately double the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove to yourself tonight—now—that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—thats all.

REAL ESTATE MARKET ACTIVE IN MARCH

Real estate deals involving more than $50,000 were transacted in La Crosse county the first week in March according to the report of Register of Deeds Andrew Thompson today. The report in full is given as follows: Eight city deeds for a total consideration of $9,560 of which one was for $1. Six city mortgages for a total consideration of $8,135. Thirteen farm deeds for a total of $43,878 of which four were for $1. Six farm mortgages for $15,874. Nine mortgages were satisfied totalling $10,700 and three totalling $15,000 were assigned.

VIROQUA, WIS.

E. W. Purcell, a track laborer, was killed last week between Victory and Genoa, by a Burlington train.

Miss Marion Dahl returned Saturday morning from Wausau where she attended the library convention.

Mrs. Henry Nelson of Franklin, died, leaving five children.

Mr. Martin Root and children have moved back to their farm, west of this city.

The interior of the First National bank is being redecorated by a corps of decorators from away.

Ruth Aikens and Mildren Franklin are ill with the mumps.

John Stoll bought a farm from G. W. and Frank Aikens. He sold portions of it to Walter Swain, Jesse Deaver and Frank Cook.

Marion Allen of Webster was severely injured by falling on a sharp stick which penetrated one ear.

Gordon Bennett, small son of Attorney and Mrs. J. Henry Bennett, was taken to the Lutheran hospital at La Crosse for an operation for rupture.

Mrs. Kit Pierce moved into the house vacated by Martin Root and family, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Parke visited in Milwaukee and Chicago.

Miss Ethel Nuzum returned from Janesville, where she underwent an operation more than a week ago. Her mother accompanied her.

Worse Yet.

"Billiwink, you are looking blue. Are you in the hands of the loan sharks again?"

"Worse than ever, Ringgold. I've just discovered that I married one!"—Chicago Tribune.

The Return of Blood Eruptions

No Reason Why Anyone Should Suffer With Such a Disheartening Experience.



No case of contagious blood poison is ever cured until the last particle of the virus has been removed from the circulation. The least taint left in the blood will, sooner or later, cause a fresh outbreak of the trouble, with all its hideous and destructive symptoms of ulcerated mouth and throat, copper colored splotches, falling hair, sores and ulcers, etc. No other medicine so surely cures contagious blood poison as S. S. S. It goes down into the blood and steadily and surely drives out every particle of the infection. It absolutely and perfectly purifies the blood, and leaves this vital fluid as fresh, rich and healthy as it was before the destructive virus of contagious blood poison entered the circulation. S. S. S. quickly takes effect on the blood, and gradually the symptoms disappear, the health is improved, the skin cleared of all spots, sores and other blemishes, the hair stops coming out, the mouth and throat heal and when S. S. S. has cleansed the system of the poison no trace of the disease is left. S. S. S. cures contagious blood poison because it is the greatest of all blood purifiers, tested and proven in hundreds and hundreds of cases all over the country.

You will find S. S. S. for sale in all drug stores at $1.00 per bottle. Write to The Swift Specific Co., 127 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for private medical advice and a very instructive book on all blood diseases, sent free, sealed in plain wrapper.

—Advertisement.

LINCOLN-DOUGLAS MEN WIN CONTEST

Will Wagner Captures the First Place with Declamation by Bruno Lessing

The Lincoln Douglas Debating society of the high school literary won the declamatory contest with the Wendell Phillips society last night, all three of their speakers taking the first three places. This is the first time that this society has won this annual contest and the banner put up as a trophy will be held by them for one year.

Will Wagner won first place with an entirely new selection, "The End of the Task," by Bruno Lessing. It deals vividly with the life of the people who work in the sweat shops.

Ray Mabie obtained second place with an excellent interpretation of Victor Hugo's "Jean Valjean." Mabie has an excellent voice and appearance and bids fair to follow closely in the illustrious foot steps of his brother, Edward Mabie, who is the star in this line of work at Dartmouth college.

Glen Halik was judged third on his presentation of "The Wild Olive Wreath." His was a very stirring selection and forcefully given.

The Wendell Phillips' speakers with their selections were judged as follows:

"A Legend of Bergenz," by Orlando Hanson, fourth.

'Battle of Fontenoy," by Thomas Skemp, fifth.

"European Guide," by Wm. Sanders, sixth.

SPOTLIGHTS

HENRIETTA CROSMAN

The attraction at the La Crosse theater, March 12, will be Henrietta Crosman, she of the charming smile, irresistible personality and the happy faculty of putting folks in a good humor the elasticity of which seems endless. Miss Crosman brings her charming comedy, "The Real Thing," which was conceded the Maxine Elliott theater, New York, success of last season, with the original cast and production.

In shaping "The Real Thing," its author, Catherine Chisholm Cushing, had the heroine of "Mistress Nell" in view for the part of the "widow" and it was said of her last season that no more appropriate selection could have been made for the sparkling, fascinating relict than this talented comedienne.

The story of "The Real Thing" teaches a moral to prospective and young wives and a warning to older ones but the lesson is so sugar coated and sown with the seeds of humor that its absorption is a palatable one.

The plot of the play in brief is this: Richard Grayson, a fine, manly young fellow, falls in love with and marries a pretty belle of an eastern New York town, whose accomplishments include about everything from singing and playing the piano to an ability to win prizes for super-excellence at various athletic sports. They settle down in Freeport, L. I., a suburb of the metropolis, where two fine, healthy children, Jack and Dorothy, are born to them. With the advent of the children, the wife becomes the mother to the extent that every minute of her time is given up to the care of her offspring and her home. She knows she is good and takes it for granted that her husband will be, though she locks up the piano, refuses to join with him in any of his amusements, makes curl papers and a kimona the most conspicuous part of her toilet and cooks, sews and dusts and sews from morning till night.

Next door to the Graysons lives Olive Wykoff, a young and beautiful girl, full of life and fun, and with Mrs. Grayson's consent, she becomes her husband's chum at the card clubs, on the tennis court and while swimming and riding. In fact Olive is known in the town as "Mrs. Grayson's understudy." Husband and wife are slowly but surely drifting apart when Mrs. Grayson's widowed sister arrives upon the scene after a long absence. The widow accidently sees Dick, the husband, kissing Olive for the first time, grasps the whole situation and immediately starts a movement for an entire domestic reconstruction. This she does after three acts of splendid comedy, during which her own love affairs with a girlhood sweetheart cut an important figure.

Blaine's Memory.

It is the fashion to belittle the faculty of memory nowadays. James G. Blaine lived in an age of great memories, and he had one himself. Here is one of his feats as related by Brand Whitlock in the American Magazine.

"When he learned I was from Ohio he asked me suddenly if I could name the counties that formed the several congressional districts of the state. I could not, of course, do that, and I supposed no one in the world could do it or ever want to do it, but he could, and with a naive pride in the accomplishment he did and then astounded me by saying that he could almost match the feat with any state in the Union."

The Inundation.

"If you please, sir," said a verger to a churchwarden in a village, "the new rector is to be inundated next Tuesday week, and I have come to ask you whether you will be able to be present." "Certainly," replied the churchwarden, who was something of a humorist, "and I hope there will be an overflowing congregation."—London Answers.

From Homeliness to Beauty in a Few Days

Some Secrets That Have Made Valeska Suratt Famous



Miss Valeska Suratt

By Valeska Suratt

NEVER forget this: Always make up your own face cream, provided you know the formula is good. The competition of ready made creams which you buy in the stores is so excessive that expense in their manufacture must be shaved down to the very lowest level. This robs you of the real value you ought to get for the money spent. Though there are some good ready-made creams sold, even these are comparatively weak in their results. You can do infinitely better by mixing your own formula, taking but a few minutes of your time every few weeks for the purpose. I have invariably been disappointed at the results obtained from the creams I bought. Probably I was hard to please, but I have never been willing to stop half way in anything, but to get the best possible. I have found it. And scores of those who have used this formula know this to be true. A statued face molded out of tinted wax could not be more spotless, more extravagant in its pinky-white loveliness and purity than faces I have seen beautified by this formula. To me, it has proven a source of fame. I want to feel that every woman who reads these columns will try it and find for herself the marvels it brings.

Let half a pint of water come almost to a boil. Add two tablespoonfuls of glycerine. Keep stirring while adding one ounce of zintone, until it is all dissolved. Then let it cool. If the cream is too thick to pour easily from a bottle, thin it down a little with more hot water. The cream will be white and satiny. Hold a wet, hot towel to the face several times for the entire face. Rub this cream on the entire face. Then wipe off with a soft, dry cloth. Then apply again and let it dry on the face. Repeat this again at night. Any good druggist will let you have zintone for about fifty cents.

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Miss Suratt's Beauty is All Self-Made. She is Known as the Beauty-Queen of the American Stage

Do Not Squeeze Blackheads

A red spot is usually left at the place from which a blackhead has been removed. This spot never entirely disappears. Here is a blackhead remover of wonderful effectiveness, and keeps blackheads from returning.

First wash the face with hot water and soap. Then sprinkle some neroxin generously upon a sponge made wet with hot water. Then rub well for a few minutes on the parts of the skin which are affected with blackheads. You should be able to secure the neroxin at any druggist's for fifty cents.

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Magic for Superfluous Hair

Simple sulfo solution is certainly remarkable in its action. It never reddens or irritates the tenderest skin and never fails.

Get one ounce of simple sulfo solution. This you can get at the drug store for one dollar. Apply it with the finger tips to the superfluous hair, keeping the hair moist with it for two or three minutes until it has been dissolved. Then wipe it off with a damp cloth and wash the skin.

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Wonderful Growth of Hair

Long ago I came to the conclusion that the ordinary hair tonics sold are failures. My own formula, perfected after tedious experimenting has had the effect of giving me a wealth of hair that is surprising. I wear no puffs, wool-rolls, turbans or switches, and am known as the only actress in America who does not, and does not have to. This formula stops hair falling and gives life to the hair.

Mix half a pint of alcohol with half a pint of water. To this add one ounce of beta-quinol. Shake thoroughly, and then it will be ready to use. If you prefer, you can use imported bay rum instead of the water and alcohol. The beta-quinol you can get at almost any drug store for not more than fifty cents. This formula should be applied very freely to the scalp after brushing it generously for a few minutes all over. Rub the tonic thoroubhly into the scalp with the finger tips.

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Good Shampoo Important

The hair should be allowed to breathe. Remove the greasy film from around the hairs. Soap will not do it. Eggol makes the best shampoo obtainable. It can be obtained at any drug store for twenty-five cents.

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Acquiring Bust Development

An increase of several inches in bust measure is not uncommon by the use of the following simple formula. It does not matter what is the cause of the lack or loss of development, or what the condition of the user. Never use mechanical contrivances; they are dangerous.

In a half pint of cold water, dissolve two ounces ruetone and half a cup of sugar, all well mixed together. Of this, take two teaspoonfuls three or four times a day in a wine-glass of water, after your meals. The ruetone will cost you one dollar at the drug store.

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To Look Years Younger

Just try this formula on crow's feet, any light or deep wrinkles, and you will find in a short time, a very surprising difference. It gives youthful plumpness to the skin.

Pour half a pint of hot water in a bowl and place the bowl in a pan of water over a slow fire. To this add two ounces of eptol. Stir until it is dissolved and starts to cream. Then remove from the fire, slowly add two tablespoonfuls of glycerine, and continue to stir until it is cold. Eptol may be obtained for no more than fifty cents at any good drug store. This cream should be applied very liberally and thoroughly rubbed into the skin until it has disappeared. The cream will not grow hair on the face. Keep the cream in an air-tight jar or bottle.

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WANTED—For U. S. army, able-bodied unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, or have first papers; of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language; good pay, food, lodging, clothing and medical attendance free. For information apply at Recruiting Station, 226 Main Street, La Crosse, Wis., or 306½ Broadway, Rochester, Minn. 2 3 tf

WANTED—Porter at the Reget, 109 South Fifth. 3 11 13

WANTED—At once, experienced tool makers. Steady work. Apply National Gauge & Register Company. 9 14 tf

WANTED--Foreman to take charge of stair and cabinet department. Must be thoroughly familiar with work and a hustler. Good opening. Address "Workman," La Crosse Tribune. 3 6 13

MEN WANTED to learn the barber trade. Best trade in existence for poor man. Machinery can't kill it. Our graduates greatly in demand. Top wages to holders of our certificates. Few weeks completes. Tools given. Catalogue free. Moler Barber College, Milwaukee, Wis. 3 8 14

WANTED—Hustling sales manager for La Crosse and vicinity. A live wire can get big returns and build up a business of his own. No one else need apply. In answering state your present position or business. Address Live Wire, care of Triune. 3 8 15

WANTED—Young man. Must be over 16 years old. Wis. Pearl Button Co. 3 8 12

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WANTED—Short order cook and kitchen girl at once. Hotel Foley, 501 Mill. 1 15 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 123 North Fourteenth St. 3 10 14

WANTED—At once, pastry cook at the Gem Restaurant. 3 11 13

WANTED—Girls to work in light, well ventilated room operating power knitting machines; also menders wanted. Good wages paid. Call at La Crosse Knitting Works. 3 12 18

WANTED—Girls at Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 3 11 13

WANTED—Kitchen girls at the Stoddard hotel. 3 11 13

WANTED—Competent girl, good wages. No washing. 1304 Main street. 3 10 12

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Inquire at 302 South Fourth. 3 10 15

WANTED—Dining room girl at the Hotel Law. 2 26 tf

WANTED—Girls at Hotel Doering. 2 4 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No cooking. 710 Vine. 3 12 tf

WANTED—Good competent girl for general housework. Mrs. Warren Smith, 1524 Charles. 3 7 tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Second hand new model Remington typewriter, good condition. Address X, care of Tribune. 2 20 tf

FOR SALE—One hundred egg "Mandy Lee" incubator and brooder, used one season. 1100 State street. 3 12 18

FOR SALE—Cottage in good repair. New phone 802-C. 3 11 13

CHICKENS FOR SALE

Call at 1617 Pine Street, between 4 and 6 P. M.
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FOR SALE OR TRADE—8 room modern residence for improved small farm near La Crosse. Address M. F., 803 South Eleventh street. 3 12 25

FOR SALE—26 foot motor boat at a bargain. Leaving city. Old phone 4644. 3 12 18

HORSE FOR SALE—Sound, reliable work horse. Color bay, weight 1250 pounds. New phone 884-M. John Schriver, 400 South Third. 3 12 tf

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Call from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m., 718 Main. 2 26 tf

FOR SALE—A wheel chair in good condition; can be had very reasonable. New phone 852-M. 3 11 15

PACKARD AUTOMOBILE for sale at a bargain. In appearance and condition practically as good as new. Apply to chauffeur for terms. Can be inspected at private garage King St., between 14th and 15th. 3 8 13

FOR SALE—Indian motorcycle, fully equipped, first class condition; used one season. Address Motor, care of Tribune. 3 3 tf

FOR SALE—240 acre farm, two miles east of DeSoto, Wisconsin, on ridge. Black loam and clay sub-soil. About one hundred acres under cultivation. No. 1 tobacco shed, 88x26x16; also another shed with leanto for barn, 60 feet. Fair house. Good granary. Price $35.00 per arce. 3 8 14

FOR SALE—350 acres, ridge farm; about 200 acres cleared, 160 acres under plow. All well fenced. On R. F. D. Six miles south of Chaseburg. Basement barn 30x70. Two tobacco sheds, each 72x26x16. Granary, chicken house and other outbuildings. Good nine-room house, orchard, etc. Price $40.00 per acre. 3 8 14

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FOR SALE—Five room cottage on full lot. 1459 Redfield street. 2 22 3 30

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FOR SALE—Household goods. 926 Tyler street. 3 12 15

FOR SALE—Property 1449 Caledonia street, corner of Sill street; also furniture. Cheap if taken at once. Owner going abroad. Call 1313 South Third street. 3 12 18

FOR SALE—Best stock and truck farm, improved, concrete silo, best county in Florida. 350 acres, on railroad and hard road. Black hammock soil. Excellent creamery proposition. $8,000. A. L. Vidal, Gainesville, Fla. 3 12 12

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FOR SALE--Goat, harness and cart. Inquire 1514 Vine street. 3 11 tf

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FOR RENT—Five room cottage, 1628 Market. Inquire 1530 Main. 3 11 tf

FOR RENT—Five room house, 903 Tyler. Call new phone 802-C. 3 11 13

FOR RENT—April 1, modern flat, 511 Main street, third floor. Inquire Room 211, McMillán Bldg. 3 12 15

FOR RENT—Store in good location, fit for any business, 1200 Caledonia. Inquire 709 St. Paul. 3 12 14

FOR RENT—Five room cottage, large lot and chicken coop, reasonable. New phone 1455-R; old 3591. 3 12 tf

FOR RENT—Modern flat, 319 So. Sixteenth. Inquire 323 South Sixteenth. 3 12 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room modern house, 1100 State. Fred Dittman 3 7 tf

FOR RENT—Three office rooms over Bijou theater. City heat, electric light. Apply Manager of Bijou.

FOR RENT—Five room house on Berlin street. Old phone 7053. 3 10 12

FOR SALE—120 acres farm land, or will trade for small city property. Wood county, two miles from city Pine. $10 per acre. 1231 South Fifteenth. 3 1 12

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Employment for hours between 7 and 12 p. m. Address J. W. Clark, Tribune. 3 11 12

FOR CAREFUL HANDLING of furniture and general draying call old phone 5301; new 576 Black. 3 11 4 10

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CASH PAID for all kinds of new and second-hand unbranded bottles. Bring us all the bottles you can. We pay a good price for the same. Frommes Chemical Co. 3 10 tf

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WANTED—Place to work for board and room by girl attending school. Address W. B. U. 3 12 13

WANTED—One oe two second-hand 9x12 rugs. Address Buyer, care of Tribune. 3 12 tf

WANTED—Ashes and other clean filling at 322 South Twentieth street. New phone 1137-M. 2 17 tf

WOOD SAWING done by J. J. Kabat, 957 Hood street. New phone 1422-M, old 4651. 12 7 tf

GASOLINE WOOD SAWING—1507 South Tenth street. Old phone 3868. New phone 1421-A. 11 23tf

TRY QUINN'S new restaurant. Regular dinner 20c. Short orders at all hours. Frank Quinn, Prop. 2 24 tf

LOST

LOST—Imitation buffalo robe, brown on one side, red on the other. Return to 621 Cass. Reward. 3 7 13

LOST--Fox hound, tan, white, black back. Wart near left eye. Collar on. 1222 South Ninth. Reward. 3 12 14

LOST—Pair child's gold rim spectacles on Avon street in 1200 or 1300 block. Call 549-M or leave 1427 Kane. 3 12 13

LOST—Between West Salem and La Crosse, black bill holder containing money, stamps and Y. M. C. A. ticket. Name on ticket Harold Bryant. Finder please return to Tribune for reward. 3 11 13

LOST—Sunday night an Seventh street between Badger and Vine street, a silver enameled bar pin. Return to Tribune office. 3 11 tf

LOST—Two anti-skid auto tire chains. Return to Diet zAuto Co. 3 10 tf

FOUND

FOUND—Gold rimmed glasses in elevator, McMillan building. 3 12 13

FOUND—Fur neck piece. Owner can have same by calling at Tribune and paying for this adv. 3 11 12

Cut Rate Shipping

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Lemons, Cali., per box	7.50
Lemons, Messinas 300 size, box	6.50
Sweet potatoes, bushel	2.00
Celery, per bunch	.75
Cranberries, Cape Cod, per bbl.	8.00
Cranberries, Wis., per bbl.	7.00
Oysters, Standards, per gal.	1.30
Oysters, Selects, per gal.	1.60
Potatoes, Irish, per bu.	.40
Onions, red or yellow, bu.	.60
Cabbage, per bbl.	1.50
Naval oranges, size 96-126, box	3.25
Naval oranges, 150-176-200-216 box	3.50
Oranges, Florida, box	3.75
Grape fruit, 36-40 box	3.75
Grape Fruit, 54-64-80, box	3.75
Western Apples—	
Fancy Jonathans, box	1.75
Wagners, box	1.50
Wine Saps, box	1.50
Spitzenburgs, box	1.60
Rome Beauty, box	1.65
Ben Davies, box	1.25
Russets, fancy	3.25
Kings, fancy	3.50
Ben Davis	3.50
Willow Twigs	3.75
Genitous Wine Saps	3.50

Livestock
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs	$7.75 to $8.10
Steers	$3.00 to $6.00
Cows	$2.50 to $5.00
Heifers	$3.00 to $5.50
Spring lambs	$6.00 to $6.50
Sheep	$4.00 to $4.50

Poultry

Chickens	12 to 13c
Spring chickens	12 to 13c
Turkeys	14c
Ducks	11c
Geese, pound	10c

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 12. — There was little activity at the opening of the stock market today but the general tone was strong.

11 a. m.—The market was quiet at the end of the first hour, but the tone appeared to be good. All stocks retained a greater part of their advance, but the market was largely professional.

Noon—Trading was very light during the second hour.

2 p. m.—The market became weak in the early afternoon, inactive industrials leading the decline.

The stock market closed fairly strong.

New York Money

NEW YORK, March 12.—Money on call 4⅞%.

Time money 5½% for 6 mos.

Bar Silver: London 26⅝d; New York 57⅞c.

Demand sterling 4.87.55.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 12.—Cattle — Receipts 4,500; market strong to 15c higher; steers $7.00 to $9.00; cows and heifers $3.50 to $8.60; stockers and feeders $3.50 to $8.15; calves $4.00 to $10.25.

Hogs — Receipts 10,000; market steady to strong; bulk $8.40 to $8.45; heavy $8.30 to $8.55; medium $8.60 to $8.75; light $8.50 to $8.65.

Sheep — Receipts 8,000 ; market steady to 10c higher; lambs $8.00 to $8.85; ewes $5.00 to $6.25; wethers and yearlings $6.00 to $6.75.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 12.—Hogs — Receipts 23,000; market strong; mixed and butchers $8.50 to $8.95; good heavy $8.45 to $8.82; rough heavy $8.30 to $8.45; light $8.70 to $9.00; pigs $6.85 to $8.85.

Cattle — Receipts 11,500; market strong; beeves 7.15 to $9.15; cows and heifers $3.50 to $8.00; stockers and feeders $6.00 to $8.00; Texans $6.00 to $7.00; calves $7.00 to $11.00.

Sheep — Receipts 18,000; market strong; native $6.00 to $7.10; western $6.35 to $7.10; lambs $8.0 to $9.10; western $8.00 to $9.10.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, March 12.—Butter—Extras 36c; firsts 31 to 32c; dairy extras 27 to 28c; firsts 25c.

Eggs — Prime firsts 17¾c; firsts 17¼c.

Cheese — Twins 15¼ to 15½c; Young Americas 15¾ to 16c.

Potatoes—45 to 50c.

Live Poultry—Fowls 16c; ducks 17c; geese 13c; spring chicks 16½ to 17c; turkeys 15c.

Barley and Flax

Minneapolis barley 40 to 55c.
Minneapolis flax $1.26 to $1.26½.
Chicago barley 47 to 70c.
Duluth flax $1.28½.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, March 12.—Wheat—No. 2 red $1.00 to $1.04; No. 3 red 90 to 98c; No. 2 hard 88 to 90¼c; No. 3 hard 87 to 89c; No. 3 spring 83 to 85c.

Corn—No. 2 white 51¾c; No. 2 yellow 51c; No. 3, 47¾ to 49½c; No. 3 white 49½ to 49¾c; No. 3 yellow 47¾ to 49½c; No. 4, 44½ to 47½c; No. 4 white 48½c; No. 4a yellow 45 to 47¾c.

Oats—No. 3 white 31½ to 32½c; No. 4 white 30 to 32c; standard 32¾ to 33¼c.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, March 12.—The decline in wheat was checked late in the morning trading. At noon both May and July wheat were up ⅛c on today's opening and ranged about the same as yesterday's close.

Corn held decidedly firm and following the rally in wheat advanced in the late morning trading until both May and July were ¼c over the opening and over yesterday's close. The selling pressure was moderate, with local leaders buying.

Oats was up ¼c over the opening at noon, the firmness of wheat and corn proving a factor. Buying was principally by shorts.

Provisions continued a shade higher, with no marked advance. The light run of hogs at the yards supported the entire list.

Wheat continued to advance in the afternoon trading and May closed ⅜c over the opening, after reaching 90⅛c shortly after noon. July closed ½c over the opening.

Brisk trading drove May corn up ⅜c in the afternoon and that variety closed ⅝c over the day's opening. July corn was up ⅝c on the opening.

Oats held firm during the afternoon.

Provisions were steady in late trading.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
WHEAT—				
May	89½	90⅛	89⅛	89⅞
July	88⅝	89⅜	88⅜	89¼
CORN—				
May	52¼	52¾	52⅛	52¾
July	53¼	53⅞	53¼	53⅞
OATS—				
May	33⅝	33⅛	32½	33

Grains and Prov., Puts and Calls.
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La Crosse Office,
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July	88¾	89⅜	88⅜	89¼
CORN—				
May	52⅛	52¾	52⅛	52¾
July	53¼	53⅞	53¼	43⅞
OATS—				
May	32⅝	33¼	32½	33
July	32¾	33¼	32⅝	33⅛
PORK—				
May	20.75	20.97	10.60	10.95
July	20.30	20.45	20.27	20.45
LARD—				
May	10.52	10.67	10.52	10.67
July	10.52	10.62	10.50	10.62
RIBS—				
May	10.65	10.82	10.65	10.82
July	10.62	10.67	10.62	10.67

Milwaukee Grain Market
(E. G. Hadden Co., Room 417 McMillan Building.)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
WHEAT—				
May	89½	90	89⅛	89⅞
July	88⅝	89⅜	88⅜	89¼
CORN—				
May	52¼	52¾	52⅛	52¾
July	53¼	53⅞	53¼	53⅞
OATS—				
May	33⅝	33⅛	32½	33

Dressed Hogs
(Quoted by People's Market)
Dressed hogs $10.00

Provisions

Lard, per pound	13 to 13¼c
Shoulders, per pound	13c
Hams, per pound	15½ to 16c
Bacon, per pound	16 to 20c
Dried beef, per pound	20 to 24c

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	35 to 36c
Dairy butter, pound	30c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	17c
Eggs, seconds, dozen	15c

Grain
(Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.)

Barley	45 to 55c
Corn	40 to 48c
Oats	30 to 32c
Wheat	75 to 85c
Rye	45 to 51c

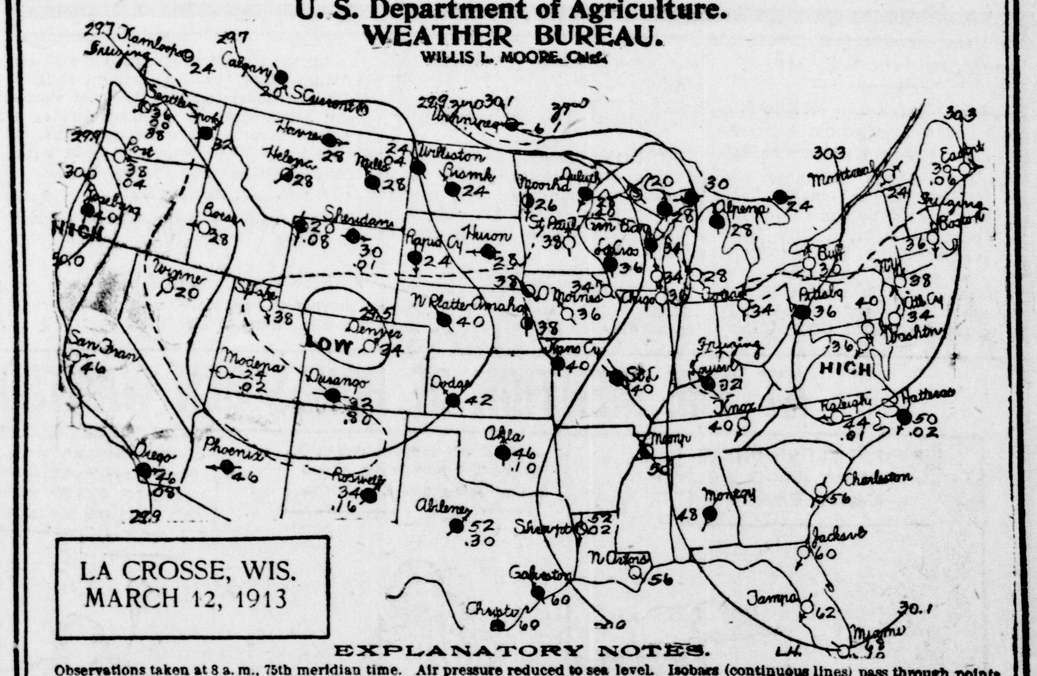
Flour and Feed
(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)

Patent, per barrel	$4.90
Straight, per barrel	$4.70

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton	$23.00
Shorts, per ton	$24.00
White middlings, per ton	$30.00
Red dog	$31.00

Weather Forecast and Weather Conditions



Observations taken at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level. Isobars (continuous lines) pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms (dotted lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for zero, freezing, 50°, and 100°. ○ clear; ◒ partly cloudy; ● cloudy; Ⓡ rain; Ⓢ snow; Ⓜ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figures, lowest temperature past 12 hours; second, precipitation of .01 inch or more for past 24 hours; third, maximum wind velocity.

	(LO)	(HI)	(P)		(LO)	(HI)	(P)		(LO)	(HI)	(P)
Atlantic City	34	42	0	Chicago	36	46	0	St. Paul	38	46	0
Boston	36	42	0	La Crosse	36	44	0	Boise	28	48	0
Charleston	56	72	0	Madison	32	44	0	Denver	34	62	0
New York	38	46	0	Memphis	50	58	0	Helena	28	46	0
Washington	36	56	0	Milwaukee	34	46	0	Miles City	28	42	0
Galveston	60	62	0	Bismarck	24	36	0	Portland, Ore.	38	48	.04
Jacksonville	60	78	0	Huron	28	54	0	Spokane	32	46	0
New Orleans	56	68	0	Kansas City	40	58	0	Medicine Hat	28	40	0

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT—For the benifit of our North side customers, we announce next Saturday and every Saturday thereafter we shall make a special delivery to the North side, at 4 p. m. Purchases for this delivery may be made up until 3:45 o'clock.

THURSDAY DRESS FABRIC BARGAINS

New Up-to-the-minute Dress Materials offered Thursday At Most Attractive SPECIAL PRICES

GINGHAMS Celebrated "Wm. Anderson's" finest French Dress Ginghams, of every style and color including stripe and checked effects. Regular 35c quality, at **25c**

SOIESETTE Choice all fashionable new shades in 32 inch wide best mercerized Soiesette—regular 25c quality, special **15c**

Dress Goods Choice Thursday hundreds of yards choice new all wool dress goods, embracing practically every wanted shade and color in popular Serges, Batistes, Taffetas, Panamas, Mohairs, Scotch Suiting, Diagonals, Tweed Suitings, Bedford Cords, etc. All regular 65c and 75c goods, Thursday ... **50c**

WAISTINGS Choice hundreds of new patterns in fancy white Flaxon Waisting of best 25c quality, Thursday **19c**

EASTER GLOVES

Again this big Glove department is equipped to serve you best. Only the best known, most reliable brands, at prices no more than the ordinary kind.

"Virginia" real French Kid Glove in two clasp style. All colors **$1.50**

"Kayser" and "Ivanhoe" Silk Gloves, either regular or extra long. All wanted shades, up from ... **25c**

"Leonore"—A one clasp mannish street glove—well known for its wearing qualities, at **$1.00**

"Verona" — Acknowledged the best kid glove on the market, at **$1.00**

200 C. B. CORSETS $1.39



Thursday we offer the season's newest model C. B. style Corset at this remarkable saving. Perfect in every detail, made of very best batiste—with medium bust and long skirt. Four heavy hose supporters; trimmed with embroidery. A genuine $2.00 value — Thursday only, all sizes **$1.39**



NEW SHOES

Prominent among the late arrivals in footwear for women is a Tan Russian Calf, 12 button Walking Shoe. This is an exceedingly attractive model, made over a new wide toe last, with 1¾ inch heel. A style bound to be in big demand this season. All sizes, at **$2.85**

GUARANTEED GARDEN SEED

Celebrated May's tested, northern grown garden seeds. Guaranteed to grow. But now, while the assortment is new and complete:

BEANS	RADISHES	CAULIFLOWER
CUCUMBERS	CABBAGE	PARSLEY
PEAS	ONIONS	LETTUCE
CARROTS	TURNIPS	BEETS
CELERY	TOMATOES	

1c *Per Package*

DOERFLINGER'S

DISAGREE ON WEIGHTS

CHICAGO, March 12.—Willie Ritchie and Packey McFarland will never clash for lightweight honors unless Ritchie changes his mind and allows McFarland to make 135 pounds at 3 o'clock on the day of the battle. After a meeting with Billy Nolan, representing Ritchie, Emil Thiery, McFarland's manager, said today that it would be impossible for him to agree to Nolan's terms. Ritchie's manager insisted that McFarland should make 133 pounds at 3 o'clock.

WELSH AFTER RITCHIE

LONDON, March 12.—It was announced today that Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, will sail for New York on March 22. He wants a fight with Willie Ritchie for the world's title.

WELLS IS FAVORITE

NEW YORK, March 12.—Stock of Bombardier Wells, the British heavy weight, who meets Gunboat Smith on Friday night in the Garden, took a decided boost today. Wells is working great guns in training and is a 4 to 5 favorite over his opponent. If he wins he will try for a bout with Luther McCarty on the coast.

The reason a woman knows what the baby is trying to say is the baby isn't.

Nine times out of ten success is merely the result of a one-card draw in the game of life.

SPORT NEWS

ROOTING MATCH TO FEATURE CONTEST

High School and Tomah Special Trains to Bring Shouters to Game at Sparta

Final arrangements have been made for the elimination game to be played with Tomah at Sparta Friday night of this week. The people from Tomah will have a special train so that even their business man may attend. The local school will also go to the scene of battle in a special and the rooting match that will ensue will be a revelation to the inhabitants of Sparta. Both schools claim the support of the Sparta people but locals are not such deadly rivals of the Spartans as the Tomah people are, so it is thought that many of the Spartans will be loyal La Crosse supporters.

Unusual Lineup

The local team will enter this game with the usual lineup. Coach Seiler is putting the men through some hard practice for this game and if condition counts the locals expect to win.

An effort is being made to have Mr. Donnelly, who did excellent work at refereeing in the game with Madison last Friday, officiate in this game.

Senior Class Champs

The class championship of the high school was won by the seniors last night after school by the score of 33 to 26. This is the end of the class games for this season, the sophomores winning second place and the advanced sophs third place.

EXPECT VICTORY OVER SUPERIOR

Nothing but a four hundred per cent improvement over their style when they defeated La Crosse normal by three points, will prevent an overwhelming defeat for themselves when the Superior normal school basketball meets La Crosse normal on the locals' floor Friday night. Captain Rand and Coach Carter are intent on defeating Superior by at least twenty points and if so by comparative scores they will be virtually champions of the northern section of normal schools and as such would have to be considered strong contenders for state honors. Forrest, crack center, who has been laid up with the mumps, is recovered and will probably play Friday, but as Swancutt is performing capably at that position Forrest may be saved for the final playoff.

RUBE TO WED BLOSSOM

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 12.—Rube Marquard and Blossom Seeley, his vaudeville partner will be married here this afternoon, according to statements of their friends. The couple got a license here yesterday. Miss Seeley, who was recently divorced from her husband, Joseph Kane, gave her age as 22; Marquard is 23.

OLSON DENIES MURDER

ST. PAUL, March 12.—Prof. Oscar M. Olson, farm school demonstrator, Thursday afternoon before Judge Orr of the district court, pleaded not guilty to the murder of Clyde N. Darling.

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ADDED ATTRACTION—Miss Vera Anderson, the popular La Crosse violinist, will entertain the patrons of the Casino each evening, **Beginning Tonight.**

BINGLES FROM THE TRAINING CAMP

MARLIN, Texas, March 12.—Base running has come to be the feature in the Giants' training stunts. Every day for the last week, McGraw has sent the squad around the diamond and with such examples as Jim Thorpe to spur them on, the ball tossers are developing some of their old time speed.

TAMPA, Fla., March 12.—Manager Evers today was pleased over Big Ed Reulbach's work in yesterday's regular-yannigan game. Though the big fellow handed out six walks the veterans found it difficult to hit him and the yannigans won, 4 to 3.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 12.—Harry Wolverton's Wolves have another chance to hand the Sox a beating when the two teams get together this afternoon, but local fandom is dubious. Wolverton sent out the best he had in the pitching line yesterday, in the person of Frank Arellanes, former Boston Red Sox, and the big leaguers batted out a 7 to 3 victory.

HAMILTON, Bermuda, March 12.—Encouraged by the continued spell of warm baseball weather, the Highlanders are developing into great shape their victory over Jersey City yesterday, having elated Owner Farrell.

CHARLOTTEVILLE, March 12.—"Fox" Griffith decided to let his pitchers uncurl a bit at today's practice game between the regulars and youngsters. He was tickled with the almost midseason form shown by all players in yesterday's tie game, 1 to 1.

ATHENS, Ga., March 12.—With two defeats chalked against them, the broilers of the Boston Braves were determined to take today's game, at least, from the Cocky Chicks. Manager Stallings has divided his recruits and regulars evenly into two teams and hot conflicts are in order.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 12.—The yannigans hoped to turn the tables on the Red Sox champs today following yesterday's hot battle in which they were nosed out by one run.

PENSACOLA, Fla., March 12.—The Nap regulars and the yannigans will hook up today for the first game of the season. With the exception of an hour's practice on a rather damp field yesterday, weather conditions have forced the squad to postpone practice for three days.

GULFPORT, Miss., March 12.—The pitching of the Detroit Tigers in yesterday's contest with the Tulane university team was the only feature of the game. The Tigers won 17 to 0.

YACHTSMEN DECIDE TONIGHT

NEW YORK, March 12.—The New York Watch club will take up the challenge of Sir Thomas Lipton for a race of the 75 footers for the America's cup at its special meeting tonight. None of the members would venture an opinion today whether the challenge will be accepted or turned down.

When duty calls, some people always send word they are out.

If you would always be sure of an audience, abuse somebody.

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Y. M. C. A. GYMNASIUM

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

MARCH 13 AND 14 8:15 P. M.

Admission 25c

GIVE SUFFRAGE TO ATTRACT FAIR SEX

SEATTLE, Wash., March 12.—Alaska needs more women. In order to stimulate the desire of the fair sex to move to Alaska the first legislature, now sitting at Juneau, unanimously passed a liberal equal suffrage law.

The northerners can get along without coal and timber. They don't mind 60 below zero without a fire, but Christmas without women is a dreary affair.

At Ruby last fall there were 2,000 men, 35 women and 12 children. The miners planned a Christmas tree and the few children were loaded with presents of gold and money.

Not one of the sixteen representatives and eight senators in the first legislature is married.

JOHN BROWN RAIDER IS DEAD IN WINONA

WINONA, Minn., March 12.—William Caine, 76 years old, said to be the last surviving member of the original John Brown raiders, died here suddenly this morning.

He attended the semi-centennial celebration held recently at Osawatomie, Kan.

THREE WINONANS PURSUE U. S. JOB

WINONA, Minn., March 12.—There are no less than three petitions being circulated in Winona for the appointment to the position of postmaster.

Fred Schaffer, for twenty-five years head of the city division in the postoffice, got his petition out first.

Judge H. L. Buck, who probably is as close to W. J. Bryan as any democrat in Minnesota, has a petition out, and if he gets Bryan's influence will be a formidable candidate. Emil Leicht, publisher of the Westlicher Herold, and H. G. White, editor of the Winona Morning Independent, are both candidates.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following real estate transfers were recorded in the office of Register of Deeds Andrew Thompson yesterday: Brunno Mulder bought lots in North La Crosse from Peter Johnson for $3,500. Marian A. Thomas bought a lot from L. F. Easton for $190. John Prtasky bought a lot on the north side for $275. Robert Fritz bought lots from Elizabeth Gabel for $3,100.

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